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MAHER KNOCKED OUT

Fitzsimmons Now the Champion of the World.

THEY FOUGHT ON MEXICAN SOIL

One Minute and Three Seconds Fighting After Months of Talk.

LANGTRY, Tex., February 21.—Peter Maher was knocked out by Bob Fitzsimmons today in the first round after one minute and three seconds of actual fighting. Fitzsimmons played the same old game he has so often played before—led on his opponent until he had him where he wanted him and then landed a lightning right-hand swing on the jaw and it was over. It was the identical blow that knocked out Jim Hall in New Orleans. For the first part of the round Maher had the better of it. He led often and forced the fighting. In his eagerness to get at Fitzsimmons he committed a palpable foul during a clinch and was warned by Referee Siler that a repetition would cost him the fight.

Maher fought well, but he was no match for his red-headed opponent, who proved himself today one of the craftiest men who ever stepped into the ring. Fitzsimmons is now, by Corbett's action in presenting the championship to Maher, the champion of the world, and after the fight was over he declared, through Julian, his willingness to defend the championship against any and all comers.

The train arrived at about 3.30, central time, and over a rocky road winding about the precipitous cliffs along the Rio Grande the crowd wended its way to the sandy beach of the river.

A narrow wooden footbridge had been put up across the swiftly flowing stream. The crowd stumbled over the stony patch and waded ankle deep in the sand, guided by little Jimmy White, a boy who came from Toronto to be at the fight.

The battle ground was a sandy flat upon a big bend in the Rio Grande river on the Mexican side. It was two miles from the village of Langtry. In the center of a canvas wall about 200 feet in diameter the ring was pitched.

Little time was lost in getting ready. Siler climbed upon the platform, announcing that besides the referee, Louis Houseman and Bert Sneed of New Orleans would act for Fitzsimmons, and Parson Davies of Chicago would hold the watch for Maher. Siler gave notice to each gentleman that Mr. Houseman would sound a whistle five seconds before call of time, as a signal to get ready.

"Siler," said Julian, "is the money up in cash?"

Siler called for the purse. Tom O'Rourke handed up two certified checks. Siler tendered them to Julian, who said they would not do, that they wanted the cash.

"We gave you notice three days ago," Fitzsimmons chimed in, from his chair, addressing himself to Siler, "that we would not fight unless the money was put up in your hands at the ring side."

"They're all right," Tom O'Rourke said from the vicinity of Maher's corner, "do you think I would pack $20,000 in cash down here. It is the first time I have ever been questioned. You people have been going around for days clacking."

Julian wanted the cash. Siler reiterated that the checks were certified and therefore all right.

"Oh, let it go," Fitzsimmons interrupted. "We have given in to everything and we will give in to this."

Fitzsimmons' tone was contemptuous and he tossed his head. The utterance was applauded. Siler took the checks.

The referee called the men to the center of the ring and said "Shake hands." The men advanced, Fitzsimmons with the air of confidence still showing plainly; Maher promptly, and with more of a familiar air than he had yet shown. They returned to their corners. An instant later the whistle of warning sounded; five seconds later the call of "Time" followed. Up sprang Fitzsimmons, advancing with his little eyes flashing like balls of burnished blue. Maher's advance was rapid enough to meet Fitzsimmons almost in the middle of the 24-foot ring. His eyes were circled from the recent effects of the "alkali" eye, and seemed staring like a stage make-up without the deceptive foot-light glare. The fight for the heavy weight championship of the world was at last a reality.

Fitzsimmons took the aggressive from the call of time and forced Maher towards his (Maher's) corner. There Maher made a stand, led, fell short and clinched. Maher led twice after he had been broken away by the referee, landing lightly on the chest. Fitzsimmons smiled as he evaded the blow. Two clinches followed. Then Fitzsimmons led with his left, landing lightly. He quickly followed with a short arm swing with his right, landing squarely on Maher's left jaw point. The Irishman fell on the back of his head and hit the floor with a heavy thud, his eyes rolled glassily and the fight was over.

There were four clinches, and no more than half a dozen exchanges.

As Maher fell to the floor Fitzsimmons stepped back, his eyes sparkling and a smile playing around his mouth. He gazed upon his fallen foe for about three seconds, and then walked about to his corner and sat down. Julian, McCoy and Everhardt were around him urging him to get up and fight. "Look out for him, Fitzsimmons," yelled Julian. "Look out for him."

"Stand up, for heaven's sake," pleaded Julian and Everhardt. "He may come at you."

"Get away from me, get away from me, I tell you," snarled Fitzsimmons. "It's all over; he's out," and by the time he had finished speaking Maher's championship was a thing of the past.

"Gentlemen," yelled Julian in a frantic manner to make his voice reach all within a mile or two of the ring, "Fitzsimmons has now worked his way up to the top and is now the champion of the world. He is ready at any time and place to defend his title against any man in the world."

The declaration was greeted with loud yells of approval from the crowd and Fitzsimmons bowed and grinned his usual capacious grin and then hurried away to dress himself.

THE RANGERS WERE THERE.

They Witnessed the Prize Fight and Enjoyed It.

EL PASO, February 21.—Challenges for all sorts of sums were hurled back and forth, but by the time the train pulled out of Langtry for El Paso nothing had been done.

"I don't care about fighting before the kinetoscope," said Fitzsimmons. "Every time they want me to do it they want to give the other fellow all the money and I want some of it myself. I will fight Maher again, of course, if the money is put up, but I don't fight before that machine unless I get $5000 cash and 50 per cent of the receipts."

The special cars awaiting the fight spectators at El Paso depot were attached to the regular train on the Southern Pacific which was forty-five minutes late coming into El Paso. There were five cars. About 150 persons bought tickets at the station for Langtry, putting up $11.65 each. The tickets to the fight were $20, and those who wished could secure sleeping car accommodations for $3.

General Mabry and twenty-six of his Texas rangers, with heavy laden cartridge belts, horse pistols and Winchester rifles, accompanied the train. The rangers and the adjutant general witnessed the fight and enjoyed it. But those who had the best view of the show were the villagers and persons for miles around who have been looking for it a week or more. They were perched on the cliffs on the Texas side of the river and had a birdseye view of the arena beneath and they cheered at the knockout more loudly than those at the ringside.

INFERNAL MACHINE FOUND.

Demonstrations of the Insurgents in Havana.

HAVANA, February 21.—It would appear that the long anticipated demonstrations of the insurgents inside of Havana are commencing. Last night an infernal machine was found near the Gulla de Ori cigar factory. The police are trying to find the authors of the attempted outrage. The mayor of Managua and his brother, who recently joined the insurgents, have been caught by the Spanish authorities. They will be tried on the charge of treason.

Cutting Railroad Expenses.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 21.—Receiver C. W. Smith of the Atlantic and Pacific road has inaugurated a system of retrenchment. He spent several days here this week and made several changes to take effect March 1st. John J. Byrne, general passenger agent, will be retired. The general freight agency in this city will be abolished. H. C. Bush, at present freight agent, will be given the title of general agent of the freight and passenger departments.

The general office of the freight and passenger departments will in future be located at Albuquerque, N. M. Receiver Smith has gone to Albuquerque, where further retrenchment will be made.

MERE STREET TALK.

WHAT HUNTINGTON SAYS OF THE PATTISON REPORT.

He Declares the Contract and Finance Company's Books Are Not in Existence.

WASHINGTON, February 21.—The senate committee on Pacific railroads was in session today with C. P. Huntington still on the stand, Senator Morgan acting as interrogator in chief. The inquiry was continued on the lines of the report made by the Pattison commission. Huntington asserted that many statements made in the report were the result of mere street talk in San Francisco. He was asked if it was true, as stated in the late Senator Stanford's testimony before that commission, that Huntington, Stanford, Hopkins and Crocker each received $13,000,000 in stock after they completed the Central Pacific. He replied that the statement did not accord with his recollection.

The four received $45,000,000 of stock in the aggregate, and it had been divided equally. Senator Morgan pressed the inquiry regarding the destruction of the books of the Contract and Finance Company, and quoted statements of witnesses who told the Pattison commission that the books were then in existence. Huntington declared they were not, and said that the witnesses who had given the testimony were unreliable.

"Are you," asked Senator Morgan, "indifferent to public opinion?"

"I am satisfied," Hunting replied, "if one man thinks well of me, that is C. P. Huntington."

Huntington stated that the Central Pacific had paid in dividends $2,000,000 each to himself, Crocker, Stanford and Hopkins.

The committee then adjourned until Friday to give Huntington an opportunity to examine the Pattison report.

Huntington said he was satisfied the public would judge him by what he had done for the people rather than by the reports compiled against him.

Morgan said he was confident congress would accept the statement made by the Pattison commission unless Huntington could refute them.

COMMITTEE MEETING.

Republican Central Committee Will Convene on the 29th.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 21.—The executive committee of the Republican state central committee met today. Chairman P. B. Cornwall of the state committee presided, and there were present C. A. Hale, McCooney, James McNab, A. E. Wells, Henry P. Sonntag, Frank McQuade, A. B. Lemmon of Santa Rosa and J. C. Daly and J. H. Mahoney.

Chairman Cornwall stated that the business to be transacted was to set an early date for the meeting of the state central committee. After a brief discussion it was decided to have the latter body meet in this city Saturday afternoon, the 29th instant. A notice to that effect will be sent to each member of the committee next Monday.

Dropped Dead at a Ball.

TRACY, February 21.—Tracy lodge of Foresters gave their regular annual ball tonight, but it was brought to a premature close at just 12 o'clock by a sad occurence. W. G. Lewis at that time had just finished a dance and stepped to the door to cool off when he dropped dead. He was a Native Son and an Odd Fellow and was prominent in society. His death has cast a shadow over the entire community. He leaves a sister in Stockton.

Raging Blizzard.

LYONS, N. Y., February 21—The blizzard is still raging here. Trains on the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg railroad have been abandoned. The New York Central is running only passenger and fast freight trains and all are behind time. The West Shore road has abandoned all except through trains.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, February 21.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $235,509,721; gold reserve, $105,943,243.

DISAPPOINTED FRIENDS

Governor Budd Has Many in Fresno.

THAT COTERIE OF ENTHUSIASTS

They Cheered in Vain and Now Are Sadder, But Much Wiser.

James H. Budd, governor of the state of California, had among the most enthusiastic workers in his behalf during the campaign a goodly number of Democrats of Fresno county. These all were "personal" friends of Jim, and they loudly proclaimed it. He was a boy from the San Joaquin valley, and a popular, jolly good fellow, they said. "He's a good friend of mine and I want to help him get elected; I tell you he'll make a rattling good governor." This was a frequent expression.

On the night after the election a coterie of these Democrats held out till the daylight hours at the Democratic headquarters in the Temple Bar building. They cheered and cheered all night long and by morning they could cheer no more. Their voices gave out. The cheers dwindled into painful squawks.

This enthusiasm was not a result of the returns from the county election. By 11 o'clock the enthusiasts quit receiving these.

But the coterie enjoyed itself by receiving telegrams all night from different parts of the state regarding the gubernatorial vote. Budd's small lead which he constantly maintained was the cause of noisy evidences of happiness. Every little town giving Budd any kind of a majority was cheered to the echo. At each such announcement there was a wild buzzing; hats went spinning in the air, and joy reigned supreme.

This was all pure effervescence, as it afterwards proved. Ask some of these enthusiasts today what they think of Governor Budd. Most of them refuse to say anything, but think hard.

Sad, it must be said, are most of the members of that enthusiastic coterie today. Fair hopes have been blighted and that which was expected came not.

Now, when these disciples of Buddism cheered so wildly, they thought that it meant something for themselves also. Being "personal" friends of Jim and active workers in his cause, they thought that surely he would give them "something;" something substantial; a big salary and a position in the service of the state. But in only one case did that "something" materialize.

Therefore, those who had to remain in Fresno and walk the common paths of life, entertain the deepest anguish. The many happy fancies of state life, gay and salaried, were ruthlessly dashed to the ground by Jim. He appointed other fellows, who were not so deserving. He even did not pay any attention to the claims of some of his personal friends in Fresno. "Budd (it is Jim no longer) threw down every friend he had in Fresno." This is what one of the disappointed was heard to remark the other day. "You cannot name one instance where he has kept a promise made during his campaign; and that to his personal friends, too."

The only Fresnan who was rewarded was Robert L. Peeler. He secured the position of assistant adjutant general of the state militia, with a salary of $2000, and perquisites, per annum. "Bob's" appointment was generally received with favor as he is very popular in Fresno. But everyone remembers the spirited fight which Judge W. D. Crichton made for the position. The Judge made several trips to the state capital, and in view of the fact that it took the Governor a long time to announce the appointment of Peeler it is surmised that Budd was "guessing" about what to do. Major Crichton and his many friends were naturally disappointed.

James A. Ward had good prospects of being rewarded, and he was in fact given a taste. The governor gave him a position for a few months in the secret service of the state, but when there was no more work to do Budd wanted to give Ward a position as the captain of guards at Folsom, with a salary of only $100 a month. To be put away from the outer world was distasteful to Ward, and he returned to Fresno in disgust. It is understood, however, that the governor is on the lookout for a position for him to be filled next month.

Among the most disappointed friends of Budd were ex-Senator G. G. Goucher and J. D. Jones, ex-superintendent of streets of this city.

Goucher's objective plum was the harbor commissionership, and Jones wanted to be secretary of that board. Both had avowed their warm friendship for Budd during the campaign, and boldly stated that they would get "something" in the event of his election. But the reward came not. Goucher and Jones went to Sacramento and spent several weeks, and their money too, in futile work. They were "thrown down," they say, and are now avowed enemies of the governor.

Two other unsuccessful aspirants were W. S. Badger and Lew R. Williams. They were rivals for the same position, viz., secretary of the state board of examiners. They were Jim's warm friends, but the other fellow got the place.

Dr. W. T. Maupin was a candidate for the appointment as superintendent of the Agnews insane asylum. The venerable chairman of the Democratic central committee of this county was certain of getting the position, and deemed himself deserving of it. But the appointment came not and the Doctor ranks among the dissatisfied.

Had the Doctor secured the appointment Bob Rader, ex-steward of the county hospital and at present real estate agent, was to have had a position in the asylum.

Judge M. K. Harris and N. C. Coldwell were rival candidates for code commissioner. Both had the highest recommendations for the place, being lawyers of excellent reputations. It is understood that Budd had contemplated the appointment of a Fresnan on the board, but when he saw such strong rivals he decided to leave Fresno out.

George E. Church was named to the governor as a good man for the position of regent of the State University. Mr. Church did not make a personal fight for the place, but he had a number of friends urging his candidacy. But the appointment went elsewhere. Fresno was again treated to the glassy gubernatorial eye.

Layton Tipton, formerly business partner with Deputy United States Marshal Bart Alford, aspired to be a guard at San Quentin prison. He was an unusually active worker in the Democratic ranks during the campaign, and many of the curious could not understand why he had embarked in politics so suddenly and energetically. He was after "something," is the terse explanation given. But he didn't get it, and like the many others, is a sadder, but a wiser, man.

Raisin growers seem to be waiting for something to turn up.

KILLED HIS FATHER.

E. R. Campbell Shot Down by His Crazy Son.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., February 21.—E. R. Campbell was shot and killed by his son Robert today. The murderer is considered unsound mentally.

Mr. Campbell was walking on North Vine street with his son, W. E. R. Campbell Jr., when the latter suddenly drew a revolver and shot his father just over the right ear, the bullet entering the brain. Mr. Campbell fell and expired instantly.

Young Campbell was immediately taken into custody and conveyed to the police station. He is 26 years of age, and has been a patient at private sanitariums in Michigan and in this state at different times. It is thought the killing was due to the belief on the part of young Campbell that his father intended to send him back to an asylum for treatment. Deceased has been a clerk of the United States district court for many years, and was well known.

Fruit and Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 21.—Jobbing prices are as follows:

Apricots — Fancy Moorparks 10c, choice 10c, fancy 9½c, choice 8½c, standard 7c, prime 6c.

Peaches—Fancy 5c, choice 4c, standard 3½c, prime 3c, peeled in boxes 10@12c.

Prunes—Four sizes 4c.

Nectarines—Fancy 5c, standard 4½c, prime 4c.

Raisins—In sacks or 50-pound boxes, 4-crown, loose, 3c; 3-crown 2¼@2½c; 2-crown 1¾@2c, dried grapes 2½c.

In 20-pound boxes, 3-crown, London layers, 85c@$1; clusters $1.40@1.50, Debesa clusters $2.25, Imperial clusters $2.75.

Wheat—Quiet; December, $1.13; May, $1.13.

Barley—Inactive; May, 73¾c.

Corn—80c.

Bran—$14.50

Took Rough on Rats.

HANFORD, February 21.—The wife of City Councilman R. E. Starkweather took her life by a dose of "rough on rats" here last night. She was 24 years of age and leaves a boy of 5 years.

Bill Nye's Condition.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., February 21.—Advices tonight from the home of Bill Nye are that his condition is unchanged. The end is believed to be a question of but a short time.

KOVALEV HANGED.

THE MURDERER OF THE WEBBERS EXECUTED.

Efforts to Secure a Confession From Him—His Brain in a Normal Condition.

FOLSOM, February 21.—Ivan Kovalev, a Russian ex-convict, who escaped from the island of Saghalien three years ago, and with another convict, Mathieu Sticherbakov, murdered F. H. L. Webber and his wife in Sacramento thirteen months ago, was hanged today. Sticherbakov was stabbed to death while attempting to hold up a San Jose merchant.

During the Kovalev trial he made a partial confession, admitting that he had seen the Webbers killed, but would not admit his participation in the murders, claiming that his companion had killed both victims. He confessed to the prison officials that he had been sent to Saghalien island for life for poisoning a man in Russia.

The Russian interpreter sent to the prison last night to spend the night with the condemned man, endeavored to draw a confession of the Webber murders from Kovalev, but he positively refused to discuss the murders. He refused to eat a tempting breakfast this morning and would take only a cup of milk. He refused to see a priest or minister. He had an idea he would not hang until the last minute. So when he was led on to the gallows he was so frightened he could hardly walk. He trembled so he had to be supported by the prison guards. There was a painful wait. He said nothing on the gallows and was swinging from the rope in less than a minute after he came from the cell. After the execution an autopsy on his remains was held. Kovalev's brain was found to be in a normal condition.

San Francisco Races.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 21.—Big fields were the rule today, seventeen horses going to the post for the first race. Favorites won the first two races and the rest went to fairly well played horses. Weather fine; track fast.

Five furlongs—Duchess won, Hunteman 2, Lelia S. 3. Time, 1.01¾.

Three and a half furlongs—Casper won, Greyhurst 2, Lady Laurelwood 3, Time, .32¾.

Seven furlongs, inside course—Modesto won, Decision 2, Billy McCloskey 3. Time, 1.33½.

Six furlongs—Wheel of Fortune won, Model 2, Arnette 3. Time, 1.14¾.

Five furlongs—George Dickenson won, Fond Hope 2, Bordeaux 3. Time, 1.03¼.

Three and one half furlongs—Rienzi won, Alma Dale 2, Diabilia 3. Time, .43¼.

Rear Admiral Fyffe Dying.

OMAHA, Neb., February 21.—A special to the *Bee* from Pierce, Neb., says: Rear Admiral Fyffe, U.S.N., retired, is dying in this city tonight. He has been critically ill for several days, and his condition is such that no hope is entertained for his recovery, and the several physicians at the admiral's bedside declare that death may occur at any moment. Relatives from California, Massachusetts and other places are present.

Debs Not a Politician.

CHARLESTON, S. C., February 21.—President Eugene V. Debs, president of the A.R.U., who is in Charleston today, was asked by an Associated Press representative regarding the dispatch from South Bend, Ind., stating that he had accepted the Populist nomination for governor of Indiana. Mr. Debs said that his friends are anxious for him to be a candidate, but that he has refused. He declares he has no taste for politics and no ambition in that direction.

ECONOMISTS DEFEATED

The House Refuses to Follow Republican Leaders.

MRS. MARY DAVIDSON ARRAIGNED

A Dozen Small Stores and Shops Destroyed by Fire in San Francisco.

WASHINGTON, February 21.—The house in committee of the whole today again refused to follow some of the Republican leaders in the matter of reducing the salaries of Indian inspectors from $3000 to $2500, the latter being the salary in the law for the country.

Yesterday an appeal was made to the house in behalf of economy and retrenchment and was defeated. Today the struggle was resumed. The defeat of the economists today was emphasized by the fact that a parliamentary wrangle of over two hours was required to demonstrate that their amendment was in order, and that, having won the first half of their victory in the decision of the chair, the house, by a vote of 67 to 78, refused to adopt the amendment. In pursuance of their policy of retrenchment, however, Mr. Cannon raised a point of order against two provisions which changed existing law, and they went out of the bill. The progress today was very slow, only two of the sixty-one pages of the Indian bill being disposed of.

While Lambert of South Carolina and Bowers of California, two rather hot-headed gentlemen, were hammering away at each other during the debate with much lustiness of voice and a whirlwind of gesticulation, some ardent sportsman called out "go it Fitzsimmons." Amid the laughter that followed some one called "Time," and the incident closed.

The house adjourned over Sunday except for a night session devoted to private pension bills.

The evening session was devoted exclusively to the private pensions calendar. Five bills were passed and nine were reported to the house by the committee of the whole, with favorable recommendation. At 10.30 the house adjourned.

A DOZEN SHOPS BURNED.

Forty Thousand Dollar Blaze in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 21.—About 10 o'clock tonight an alarm of fire was sounded from Washington and Davis streets for a blaze in a Chinese cigar box factory. Fire spread very rapidly and soon a dozen small stores and shops were in flames. A second alarm brought more engines, but in spite of the work of the firemen, it was fully an hour before the flames were under control. The buildings destroyed were of the ramshackle order. Loss about $40,000; partially insured.

Half a dozen Chinese had narrow escapes from being burned to death. They were sleeping in the cigar box factory but were awakened by the police, who aided them to escape.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

Mrs. Davidson Arraigned Before the Superior Court.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 21.—Mrs. Mary A. Davidson was again in the superior court today to answer to the charge of the extortion of $500 from Dr. Brown. Judge Bahrs overruled a motion to dismiss the information against the defendant. The contention of the defense was that Mrs. Davidson was Brown's agent was thus disposed of by the decision. A careful reading of the information shows this assumption entirely unwarranted. Mrs. Davidson then pleaded not guilty. Her trial was then peremptorily set for March 23d, and a motion for reduction of bail was taken under advisement. Mrs. Davidson was then taken back to the county jail.

Special Freight Rate.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 21.—The railroad company has issued a notice that a special rate of $1 a hundred weight has been made on prunes shipped to London. The special rate is to be good until March 1st. The prune men are naturally much gratified at the concession, and shipments are expected to become very brisk in consequence.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Almus Butterfield, a wealthy commission merchant, cut his throat at Chicago yesterday, inflicting fatal wounds.

Earl Gray has been appointed co-administrator with Cecil Rhodes of the territory of the British South African Company.

Martinez Campos, late captain general of Cuba, has declined the membership offered him in the Spanish supreme military council.

Angus D. Gilbert was hanged in the Boston jail yesterday morning for the murder of Alice Sterling, a child, last April. He denied all knowledge of the murder.

The safe in a bank at McLauth, Kan., was blown open by robbers last night. The burglars got $3500, stole a team, drove to Lawrence and took the east-bound train.

Thursday night the flush tank water closet of Odd Fellows hall at Petaluma overflowed and the water leaked through the ceiling. A thousand dollars worth of goods were damaged to a certain extent in Newburg & Co.'s dry goods store.

The Sonora flour mill was burned down early yesterday morning, also an adjoining residence occupied by Henry Wilson. The fire started in the mill. Its origin is unknown. It was owned by W. H. Chamberlin and leased by William Kruger. Loss, $8000.

The number of deaths from the dynamite explosion near Johannesburg now reach 120. Four hundred were injured. President Kruger has been chosen president of the relief committee and is directing the work of clearing the ground. The popular subscription for the sufferers now amounts to over half a million dollars.

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DO YOU WANT CASH FOR YOUR POULTRY and eggs? See A. C. BANTA, 1421 J st. f19tf

IF YOU WANT A GOOD PIANO OR ORGAN, don't fail to call on GEO. A. ARMSTRONG, 1034 I street. f18tf

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FOR SALE—ALL BAR AND SALOON FIXtures and furniture of 12 rooms, of Trilby garden, all in good order. Inquire DR. EDWARDS, 627 south I street. f22t6*

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FOR SALE—4-FOOT LIVE OAK WOOD, $4 per cord, at Tarpey store. ROBT. E. L. GOOD. f21t3*

FOR SALE—CHEAP, A HOUSE AND LOT, house completely furnished for housekeeping, hot and cold water and bath, nice lawn and shade. Apply on premises, 183 Jensen avenue. f20t3*

FOR SALE—FINE HORSE AND COLUMBUS buggy, or trade for bicycle or town property. M.P., box 8, Republican office. f20t3*

FOR SALE—40 ACRES WITH WATER RIGHT. Long time and easy payments. Apply 1159 I street, Fresno. f15t6*

FOR SALE—2 SETS OF DOUBLE HARNESS, 1 team wagon, 1 mowing machine, 1 hay rake, 2 steel plows, at Goudenough Horse Shoeing shop, 2134 Tulare street. f15t6*

FOR SALE—2 COWS. INQUIRE AT THE Glencoe house, 905 I street. f14t6*

FOR SALE—ALFALFA HAY UNDER COVER, $5.50 and $6 per ton. J. W. MARTIN, one mile east Belmont school. f13

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WHERE PROTECTION BEGINS.

The esteemed free trade contemporary made a few remarks the other day in regard to the tariff on raisins which may properly be given a little consideration. It said:

> As the *Expositor* and its proprietors had more to do in securing the tariff on raisins than any other influence that was exerted, we will willingly answer the question propounded by our morning contemporary as to who pays the tariff and to what extent, if the editor of that paper will be kind enough to inform us the exact amount of benefits the 1¼ cents a pound brings to the home producer over that which he would receive if the tariff were not imposed. Because the foreign producer or importer has to pay that tax to introduce his raisins into this country cuts no figure whatever. As we have said in a previous article, we believe in a tariff sufficient to produce an equilibrium, and this is one of them. In fact, we think it should be 1½ cents a pound.

A duty of 1½ cents on raisins—which, by the way, is the amount fixed by the Wilson bill, and not 1¼ cents as stated by the *Expositor* expert—is not sufficient to offset the advantages of cheap labor and cheap transportation enjoyed by the foreign grower, and consequently is not sufficient to protect domestic producers from foreign competition. The foreigner can afford to pay a duty of that amount, and about the only benefit realized by the home producer is the benefit common to all the taxpayers in the amount thus contributed to the revenues of the government. They are relieved of the burden of taxation to that extent, but where the duty is so low that the foreigner can afford to pay all of it the protective benefits become small indeed.

Considered both from the standpoints of revenue and protection the duty on foreign raisins and dried fruits should not be less than 2½ or 3 cents per pound. The revenue so badly needed would thus be materially increased, and while the consumers would be called upon to contribute a portion of that revenue they would only be paying through that channel what they have to pay in some form or other, and they would have the satisfaction of knowing that in fulfilling their obligation to the government they were at the same time assisting to maintain a class of domestic producers who stand greatly in need of all the protection which can be reasonably and equitably extended to them.

This is the position of the REPUBLICAN on the raisin tariff, briefly and we think clearly stated, and we are perfectly willing that the opinions here advanced shall be considered applicable to all domestic industries, when it can be demonstrated that their claim for protection is well founded. This paper does not belong to the class that shouts for protection to the industries of its locality and thinks that free trade is good enough for other people. The true principle of protection lies in the widespread and equitable distribution of its benefits, giving to no industry an excess that will foster monopoly, but to all that can be benefited a fair and just proportion.

As to the statement that "the *Expositor* and its proprietor had more to do in securing the tariff on raisins than any other influence," it would be stating the case more accurately to say that the *Expositor* and its proprietor had something to do with preventing the full consummation of the free trade program, for which they worked so incessantly and zealously during the campaign of 1892. After standing squarely upon a free trade platform and bowling themselves hoarse in denunciation of protection, they were among the first to squeal when the high authorities and authorized apostles of free trade undertook to apply to their own industry the principle they had so vigorously espoused. When asked to take their own medicine, carefully compounded by the free trade doctors, with the trade mark blown in every bottle, they rebelled and joined the innumerable caravan of wild-eyed and frantic followers of the good Grover who descended upon the national capital in swarms, shouting lustily—"Don't give us free trade; give it to the other fellows!"

The unparalleled inconsistency of these outside actors in this national farce-tragedy—the farce for their part and the tragedy for the people—was overlooked for the time for the reason that the interests at stake were just as vital to those who had not shrieked for free trade as for those who had, and anything that could be saved out of the wreck was so much gain. Consequently no protest was raised when the people who caused the storm did what they could to avert the full measure of the disaster they had precipitated.

No protest was made, we say; but when the people who are responsible for all the wrong that was done have the monumental effrontery to come forward and claim special credit for having in some measure averted the calamity which they had deliberately created, they need not be surprised to hear some gentle dissent—gentle of course, as the wind is tempered to the shorn lamb—but dissent nevertheless.

E. C. BENEDICT says that Mr. Cleveland will "promptly let the country know his determination regarding a third term whenever he had made up his mind to say anything." It does not make much difference whether the rotund prophet lets the country know or not. The principal beauty of this case is that the people have very thoroughly made up their minds regarding a third term for the eminent apostle of goldbugism, and there is not the least prospect in the world that they will change their minds.

TO ANY person who is acquainted with San Pedro and Santa Monica, the idea that the latter should be advocated against the former as a seaport necessarily seems absurd. Santa Monica is as much a harbor as any other town along the seaside, and no more so. San Pedro is a natural harbor, if a small one. The one would have to be built from the beginning; the other would require nothing but completion. There can be no question that congressional appropriations should go to San Pedro.

"PERPETRATING A FRAUD."

The Selma *Irrigator* takes exception to the REPUBLICAN's opinion that "the success of the popular loan was a rebuke to Mr. Cleveland." It says that Republican papers which express such ideas "know they are perpetrating a fraud upon the people." This settles the question. There is a pretty fair sprinkling of Democratic papers that hold just about such views of Mr. Cleveland and his bond issues as the REPUBLICAN, but the *Irrigator* does not say whether or not they "know they are perpetrating a fraud upon the people," so that question is involved in doubt. As they are Democratic papers, it is not improbable that our Selma contemporary may feel that they sin through ignorance.

After the bitter comment above quoted, the *Irrigator* proceeds to throw light upon our dark places. We confess with regret, however, that our obtuseness (which probably is due to the fact that we are Republican) is such that even its Roentgen rays do not permeate us. It wants to know if these wicked Republican papers have "forgotten what Secretary Carlisle suggested in his yearly report." Then it quotes from that report by the secretary wherein he urges that congress give him the power to issue 3-per cent gold bonds of small denominations, so that the people could take them. We infer—but the *Irrigator* does not say—that the Selma paper considers that the secretary's suggestion demonstrates his urgent desire to issue popular loans, and that congress has displayed its enmity thereto by not granting to him the power that he asked. Let us see if this is so.

It is very easy to dispose of any suggestion that Mr. Carlisle has been anxious to issue popular loans, for he himself has given the answer. Three times he had the opportunity to issue such a loan, and three times he chose to give a syndicate the benefit of the commissions. He might have advertised for bids from the people in the case of former issues just as well as in the recent instance, when he finally did so. He preferred to deal with syndicates. In the face of his deeds shall we flaunt a suggestion to congress, of which the only object was the furtherance of the scheme to reduce this nation absolutely to a gold-standard basis? The idea is preposterous. Yet if the *Irrigator* does not imply that, it implies nothing.

As for the refusal of congress to adopt the secretary's suggestion, it could do nothing else if it would save the country from absolute gold monometallism. It should be borne in mind that there is not now, and has not been for nearly a third of a century, a necessity for the issuance of bonds. The obligations of this nation are payable in "coin," and coin under all natural and legal constructions is either gold or silver. If the government would now exercise, or if it had in the recent past exercised its prerogative to pay such obligations in silver when there was a scarcity of gold, our sacred gold reserve would have been maintained without difficulty, and there would have been no bond issue. The Selma paper must admit that men who recognize this fact could not consistently or patriotically have authorized any bonds. An issue of bonds in a time of peace and plenty is an abnormal political monstrosity, anyway. If it must be, at least it is better that congress should not indorse it.

On the whole, the REPUBLICAN feels that it will have to continue "perpetrating a fraud upon the people," if it be a fraud to protest in such way as it can against burdening the people with debt which is as unnecessary as it is undesirable.

RANDOM REMARKS.

The discovery that the Roentgen rays will photograph through steel naturally leads to the suggestion that they should very speedily be turned on Mr. Carnegie's armor plate. A picture of a few blowholes embalmed in steel would be quite interesting.

Mr. Bierce—Who is that man?

The Page—He is the chaplain of the house of representatives.

"Is he not addressing his petition to the Almighty?"

"He is."

"You will please to notify him that I am present."

The announcement that Mr. Cleveland's friend, E. C. Benedict, says that the President is opposed by traitors, should give birth to another definition of the word "traitor." It is reasonable to expect that the dictionaries of the future will contain something like this:

Traitor. n—A fellow of the baser sort who differs from Grover Cleveland in opinion.

If some such definition is not contained in future dictionaries, it will be because lexicographers have not done their duty.

PERHAPS 'TWAS A DREAM.

Perhaps 'twas a dream; I will not say;
I only say, as I sat last night,
When the stars looked down from a sky of gray
And earth was an etching in black and white,
That the boys whom I knew in another time,
From out of the past came trooping back,
And again we stood in the golden clime
Whence our feet have strayed o'er a rugged track.

Perhaps 'twas a dream, but I know the tears
Of happiness shone in my eyes that night,
As I welcomed them back from the phantom years,
The boys whom I loved when the world was bright;
And the life of youth on their faces flushed—
Though they tell me they're wrinkled and old and gray,
And the lips of some has the angel hushed,
And some are over the hills away.

Then our life cares dropped,—Perhaps 'twas a dream—
And we laughed and played as we did of yore
Where the sunbeams dance or the star rays gleam,
And we cared not a whit for the days before;
And a laugh rang out from the ones I have lost;
Though they've slipped from my side, yet they came again,
And hands were waved which the angel crossed,
And we dropped the worries and toils of men.

Perhaps 'twas a dream; I will not say,
But I know that the tears that came were real,
As silently then they stole away,
As the stars in the dawnlight backward steal.
Perhaps 'twas a dream—if so, then life
At best is a dream, and the dreamers, men,
Who dream of glory or trouble or strife,
I dreamed of the dawn—Let me dream again.

A LEAF FROM THE FUTURE.

"Amelia Binks, you have been drinking again."

"Nev—hic!—never! Won go ho' til morn—"

"How dare you contradict me! You have been drinking again. How can you say that you have not when you asked me to put the keyhole back in the door or else let you in. You will be the death of me."

"Shay, no. Oh, sting, where is thy vict—hic—vict'ry. Oh—"

"Before, as a dutiful husband, I promised to love, honor and obey you, you agreed never to drink again. And now—"

"Who shays been drink'? 'Rah fer nexsh 'at diesh! 'Rah—"

"I shall do as I said I would."

"Dash'n'."

The next day, as usual, John Binks was seen about his home, cooking, caring for the house and nursing the babies, but Amelia Binks did not appear at her office.

Her gentle, loving but determined husband had kept his word.

While Amelia lay in a drunken stupor, he had hidden her bloomers.

In congress the other day, a representative from South Carolina said that if the conditions of 1861 again existed, he would do as he then did. For this remark he was taken to task by a member from Massachusetts, and he explained that with such light as he then had he thought he was right, and with the same light he doubtless would think so again, although with his present understanding he would act differently. Now it is announced that the house committee on elections is contemplating depriving the South Carolinan of his seat for making the speech. The committee could engage in much better business. The southerner announced nothing but the truth, and it did not necessarily bear any germ of treason in it. Doubtless, under such light as he had in the 60's, he did what he believed was right; doubtless under the same circumstances he would do the same thing again. Thirty-one years have passed since the last cannon of the civil war thundered its final protest against the reign of peace; the old enmities are dead and the old prejudices are buried. It is time for even the United States congress to recognize, what all broadly intelligent men discern, that the armies in blue and those in gray marched each under the inspiring conviction that right was on its side. We of the north, who were victorious, show small courtesy if we will not concede this much. Revive the circumstances—but thank God it never can be done—and each side would do the same again. Broadly, the South Carolinan merely announced a fact which cannot be disputed, that men are shaped by their surroundings. Congress might as well punish a man for saying that if he were born in Arabia he probably would be a Mohammedan.

A.J.W.

Firemen, Attention!

All members of the Fire Department will meet at their engine houses at 9 o'clock sharp this morning, February 22, 1896, to take part in department drill.

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The Bodega sells the genuine Islay and Ramsey Scotch Whiskies. *

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Mr. D. Wiley, ex-postmaster, Black Creek, N. Y., was so badly afflicted with rheumatism that he was only able to hobble around with canes, and even then it caused him great pain. After using Chamberlain's Pain Balm he was so much improved that he threw away his canes. He says this liniment did him more good than all other medicines and treatment put together. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by Smith Bros., cor. Hughes hotel.

Congratulations.

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GOLDBUG VENOM.

Argument at a Discount and Abuse in Plenty.

From the Stockton Mail.

One of the most venomous and unscrupulous enemies of bimetallism and bimetallists is the New York *Sun*. It is a great paper in many respects, but it is owned body and soul by Wall Street; it is a corporation doormat of the most variegated kind. It never deals with the coinage question in an argumentative way, but contents itself with hurling abuse at those who favor the remonetization of silver. To give an idea of its methods we quote from a recent letter from its Washington correspondent in which several prominent senators who favor bimetallism are made the butts of its coarse wit and the victims of its lust for lying.

We are told, for instance, that Senator Harris of Tennessee has been "a feeder at the public crib since 1877, with but short and unprofitable forages in other directions," and that "his ways are inscrutable to men old and young, who believe that there is something more in life than a bottle of whisky or a game of 5-cent poker." Of Senator Bate, another free silver "buccaneer," it says that he has "simply held his chair down and drawn his salary." The *Sun* accuses both him and Harris of betraying their constituents on the monetary issue, yet in the same article it distinctly acknowledges that the last official utterance of the Tennessee Democrats was in favor of bimetallism?

Senators Cockrell and Vest of Missouri are next given unwelcome attention by this journalistic skunk. In its choicest tenderloin accents it tells its readers that Cockrell is a "foxy old coon," "the laughing-stock of dignified Democrats in Missouri and Washington;" and that he is known as "Garden Sass Cockrell." He is also so criminal as to own a fine home in Washington and is a "frightfully voluminous letter-writer." Vest is a "high private in the senatorial poker club," according to the *Sun's* correspondent. "He sits on Don Cameron's right, and is mighty handy with the 'keerds.'" He also has "betrayed his constituents" by taking the stand on the coinage question indorsed by the Democratic state convention of Missouri prior to the last election.

There is one good thing about these vile attacks upon men who have done nothing but reflect honor upon the body of which they have been members these many years—they are so plainly false and show so clearly that they were inspired by the most depraved malice that they can only arouse the contempt and disgust of decent and intelligent people, no matter what their opinion on the coinage question may be. The *Sun* and other goldbug organs that follow its example are injuring themselves, and not the silver cause, by imitating Yahoos.

The Fresno Bowling Alley.

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5 gallons coal oil, old price $1.20, Scott's price 95c.
16 twelve-ounce candles, old price 40c, Scott's price 25c.
1-pound can jelly, currant, etc., old price 25c, Scott's price 10c.
1-pound can Snowflake oysters, old price 15c, Scott's price 10c.
3-pound can pepper, old price $1.00, Scott's price 45c.
5-pound can pepper, old price $1.50, Scott's price 75c.
1-pound package Blue Ribbon tea, old price 75c, Scott's price 25c.
½-pound package Blue Ribbon tea, old price 40c, Scott's price 15c.
1-gallon can syrup, old price 75c, Scott's price 50c.

Go it, Scott! but don't leave us.

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at Rivers Junction she was brought down with pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery, it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Webster Bros. drug store. Regular size 50c and $1.

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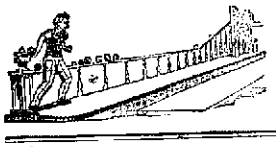

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Dated, Fresno, Cal., 17th January, 1896.

[SEAL.] ED. GOLDSMITH,
1345 I street, Fresno, Cal.
[SEAL.] A. CAREY,
1022 J street, Fresno, Cal.

State of California, county of Fresno, ss.

On this 24th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, before me, S. Jackson, a notary public in and for the county of Fresno, personally appeared Ed. Goldsmith and A. Carey known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to and who executed the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my official seal, at my office in the county of Fresno, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

[SEAL.] S. JACKSON,
Notary Public in and for Fresno county, Cal.
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Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Proving Will, etc.

In the Superior court, in and for the county of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel McLaughlin, deceased.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE JUDGE and clerk of said court, made on the 31st day of January, 1896, notice is hereby given, that Saturday, the 29th day of February, 1896, at 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, at the courtroom of said court, department No. 3, in the city of Fresno in said county of Fresno, has been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Daniel McLaughlin, deceased, and for hearing the application of D. C. McLaughlin, Ernest E. Gatcomb and O. J. Woodward for the issuance to them of letters testamentary thereon, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated January 31th, 1896.

T. G. HART, Clerk.
Harris and Hubbard, attorneys of petitioners.
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Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

WHEREAS, STEPHEN B. HOLTON, AND HIS wife, Ellen Holton, made a certain deed of trust to Ed. R. Hamilton and Wm. P. Coleman, dated February the twentieth (20), 1892, and recorded on the twenty-fifth (25) day of February, 1892, in book one hundred and thirty-nine (139) of Deeds, at page one hundred and four (104); and following, records of Fresno county, State of California; said deed of trust conveying the real property hereinafter described for the purpose of securing the payment of a certain promissory note made by the said Stephen B. Holton, and Ellen Holton, and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note and the interest thereon.

Now, therefore, by the authority vested in them by said deed of trust, and upon application of the owner and holder of said note, the undersigned, as such trustees, will, on February twenty-ninth (29), 1896, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock a.m., in front of the courthouse door in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in United States gold coin, all the certain real property situate in the county of Fresno, State of California, and described as follows, to wit:

The northwest quarter of section number twenty three (23), in township sixteen (16) south, range twenty-one (21) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging; also all water ditches, water rights and privileges that are connected with, used or appertain to said land.

ED R. HAMILTON, Trustee.
W. P. COLEMAN, Trustee.
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Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Proving Will, etc.

In the Superior court in and for the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of Sam Lee, sometimes known as "Lam Lee," deceased.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE ABOVE court and an order of the clerk of said court, made on the 19th day of February, 1896, notice is hereby given, that Saturday, the 7th day of March, 1896, at 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, at the court room of said court, department No. 2, in the city of Fresno, in said county of Fresno, has been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Sam Lee, sometimes known as "Lam Lee," deceased, and for hearing the application of Wong Kee for the issuance to him of letters testamentary on said estate, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated February 19th, 1896.

T. G. HART, Clerk.
Stuart S. Wright, attorney for petitioner. f20d

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Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior court of the state of California, in and for the county of Fresno.

The Canadian and American Mortgage and Trust Company, a corporation, plaintiff vs. John Richmond Parker and Jane Ellen Parker, et al., defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 6th day of February, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 6th day of February, 1896, in favor of plaintiff, the Canadian and American Mortgage and Trust Company, a corporation, and against John Richmond Parker and Jane Ellen Parker, for the sum of $3,425.00, gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs: which said decree is recorded in decree book, volume 8 of said Superior court, on page 332, et seq., thereof:

And whereas, I am commanded by said order of sale to sell the said mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of February, 1896, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the county court house, in Fresno, Fresno county, state of California, in obedience to all the commands of said order of sale, I will sell, in the manner prescribed by said order of sale, the mortgaged premises described in said order of sale, as follows: Situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, and being a portion of section 14, township 15 south, range 19 east, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 195 and 196 of the Perrin colony lands, containing about 40 acres, as laid down on the map thereof, entitled "Map of Perrin colony, being sections 2, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 22, 23, 24 and 26 in township 15 south, range 19 east, surveyed by George Manuel, C. E., November 1888," which map was filed in recorder's office of Fresno county, on February 4th, 1889, and is hereby referred to for a more particular description.

That the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, February 8th, 1896.

W. D. FOOTE, Commissioner.
W. D. Crichton, attorney for plaintiff. f8

Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

E. G. Chaddock, plaintiff vs. C. A. Owen, et al., defendants. No. 6313. Department No. 1.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure issued out of the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, on the 1st day of February, 1896, in the above-entitled action, wherein E. G. Chaddock, the above-named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure against C. A. Owen, et al., defendants, on the 22nd day of January, 1896, for the sum of $7903.30, besides interest and costs, which said judgment and decree was on the 28th day of January, 1896, recorded in decree book, volume 8 of said court, at page 319 et seq., I am commanded to sell in one piece or parcel, all that certain real property situate in the county of Fresno, state of California, described as follows:

The southwest quarter and the east half of section two (2); the southeast quarter and the west half of section three (3); the east half of section ten (10); the whole of section eleven (11); the northwest quarter and the north half of the southwest quarter of section fourteen (14); the east half of the northeast quarter of section fifteen (15); the southwest quarter of section thirty (30), and the west half of section thirty-one (31); all in township twelve (12) south, range twenty-one (21) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, together with all the improvements thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, in front of the courthouse of the County of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell the above described property to the highest and best bidder for lawful money of the United States.

Fresno, February 1, 1896.

F. E. COOK,
Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
Frank H. Short, attorney for plaintiff. f2

Commissioner's Sale.

No. 6655.

In the Superior court of the State of California, in and for the county of Fresno, Department No. 2.

Security Savings Bank, plaintiff, vs. W. P. Gaines, et als., defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF sale and decree of foreclosure issued out of the Superior court of the state of California, in and for the county of Fresno, on the 1st day of February, 1896 in the above entitled action, wherein Security Savings Bank, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure against W. P. Gaines et al., defendants, on the 29th day of January, 1896, for the sum of $20,548.61 besides interest and costs, which said judgment and decree was, on the 29th day of January, 1896, recorded in Decree book, volume 8, of said court, at page 323, et seq., I am commanded to sell in one piece or parcel all that certain real property situate in the county of Fresno, state of California, described as follows:

The southeast quarter and west half of section twenty-one (21); the southwest quarter of section twenty-two (22), and the northwest quarter of section twenty-eight (28); also a portion of said section twenty-eight (28), described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28); thence north to the Brusie ditch; thence south easterly along said ditch to its junction with Gould ditch; and thence along Gould ditch southwesterly to beginning, containing 4 25-100 acres; and also a strip of land ten feet wide adjoining the north side of Brusie ditch, commencing on the west line of said quarter section and ending at said junction of Brusie ditch and Gould ditch; all being in township thirteen (13) south, range twenty-two (22) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian.

Public notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 29th day of February, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, in front of the courthouse of the County of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell the above described property to the highest and best bidder for lawful money of the United States.

Fresno, February 1, 1896.

F. E. COOK,
Commissioner, appointed by said Superior Court.
Sidney V. Smith, Mills Building, San Francisco, attorney for plaintiff. f2

Commissioner's Foreclosure Sale.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

G. M. McGuire, plaintiff vs. Martha A. Miller, et al., defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, state of California, on the 27th day of January, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 24th day of January, 1896, in favor of the plaintiff above named, G. M. McGuire, and against said defendants Martha A. Miller and L. J. Miller, her husband, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 10 of the said Superior court, on pages 148 et seq., for the sum of five thousand nine hundred seventy and 35-100 dollars, in gold coin of the United States with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of said judgment and accruing costs.

And, whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 25th day of February, 1896, at 1 o'clock p.m. of that day, in front of the door of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows: situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section eleven (11), in township fourteen (14) south, of range twenty (20) east, of Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, and running thence south twenty 37-100 chains (20 37-100), thence west ten 03-100 (10 03-100) chains, thence north nine 81-100 (9 81-100) chains, thence west three 56-100 (3 56-100) chains, thence north eleven 06-100 (11 06-100) chains, thence east thirteen 61-100 (13 61-100) chains to the point of beginning, containing twenty-four 47-100 (24 47-100) acres including avenue.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno January 27th, 1896.

F. E. COOK, Commissioner.
Frank H. Short, attorney for plaintiff. j28

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Execution.

Sheriff's Sale No. 2800.

Martin Denicke vs. The American Building and Loan Association.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Superior Court of the county of Fresno, of the State of California, wherein Martin Denicke, plaintiff, and The American Building and Loan Association, defendant, upon a judgment rendered the 24 day of February, A.D. 1895, for the sum of $166 40-100 dollars, lawful money, besides costs and interest, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, The American Building and Loan Association, of, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit:

The NW¼ of section 26, in township 14 south, range 20 east, M.D.B. and M.; also lots 25 and 26 in block 119 in the city of Fresno, according to the map and plat of the town of Fresno on file in the office of the county recorder of said county of Fresno; also lot 41 and south 5 feet front and rear of lot 42 in block "A" of Elm Grove addition to the city of Fresno, according to the plat thereof of record in the office of the county recorder of said Fresno county.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on Thursday, the 12th day of March, A.D. 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m. of said day, in front of the courthouse door of the county of Fresno, sell at public auction, for lawful money, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant on the day said judgment was docketed in the said Fresno county, or any time thereafter, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interests and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff.
Dated Fresno, February 18th, 1896.
J. P. Meux, attorney for plaintiff. f19

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Joseph Gosliner, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executrix of the last will and testament of Joseph Gosliner, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix at the office of Horace Hawes attorney-at-law, in the Fresno Loan and Savings Bank building, Fresno, California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Joseph Gosliner, deceased.

Dated Fresno, February 1st, 1896.

TILLIE GOSLINER,
Executrix of the last will and testament of Joseph Gosliner, deceased.
Horace Hawes, attorney for executrix.
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Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior court, county of Fresno, state of California.

J. P. Meux, as executor of the last will and testament of Elizabeth F. Cunningham, deceased, plaintiff, vs. N. M. Trezevant and Albert Nusbaumer et al., defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 13th day of February, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 29th day of January, 1896, in favor of J. P. Meux, as executor of the last will and testament of Elizabeth F. Cunningham, deceased, plaintiff, and against N. M. Trezevant and Albert Nusbaumer, defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 8, of the said Superior court, on page 346, for the sum of nine thousand and eighty-seven dollars, in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs;

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises in one lot or parcel to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1896, at 12.05 o'clock p.m. of that day, in front of the door of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale as follows: situate, lying and being on Kearney avenue, in the county of Fresno, state of California, viz.:

All of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter (nw ¼ of sw ¼) of section seven (7) in township fourteen (14) south, of range twenty (20) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, with water right in Fresno Canal and Irrigation Company running with the same, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, February 14th, 1896.

O. SCRIBNER, Commissioner.
H. M. Johnston, attorney for plaintiff. f15

Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of S. E. Wright, an incompetent person.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IN pursuance of an order of the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, made on the 21st day of September, 1895, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of S. E. Wright, an incompetent person, the undersigned, the guardian of the person and estate of the above named incompetent person, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States of America, and subject to confirmation by said Superior court, on Monday the 9th day of March, 1896, at 12 o'clock M, in front of the court house door in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, all the right, title and interest of the said S. E. Wright, in and to that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 32, in township 14 south, range 25 east, M.D.B. and M.

Terms and conditions of sale—Cash, gold coin of the United States, ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid on the day of the sale, balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior court. Deed at expense of purchaser.

CHAS. ROHLOFF,
Guardian of the person and estate of S. E. Wright, an incompetent person.
Dated Fresno, February 13th, 1896. f14d

Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

WHEREAS, WILLIAM E. BROWN, AND HIS wife, Nellie P. Brown, made a certain deed of trust to Ed. R. Hamilton and Wm. P. Coleman, dated April 12th, 1892, and recorded April 23d 1892, in book one hundred and thirty-nine (139) of deeds, at page one hundred and forty-two (142) and following, records of Fresno county, state of California; said deed of trust conveying the real property hereinafter described, for the purpose of securing the payment of four (4) certain promissory notes made by the said William E. Brown and Nellie P. Brown, and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said notes and the interest thereon.

Now, therefore, by the authority vested in them by said deed of trust, and upon application of the owner and holder of said notes, the undersigned, as such trustees, will, on the 29th day of February 1896, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock a.m., in front of the court house door, in the city of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in United States gold coin, all the certain real property situate in the County of Fresno, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

The south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-four (24), in township sixteen (16), south, range twenty (20) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging; also all water ditches, water rights and privileges that are now connected with, used or appertain to said land.

ED. R. HAMILTON, Trustee.
W. P. COLEMAN, Trustee.
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Commissioner's Sale.

No. 6910.

In the Superior court, county of Fresno, state of California.

The People's Savings Bank of Fresno (a corporation) plaintiff vs. Antone Joseph, et al., defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, on the 18th day of February, A.D. 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein The People's Savings Bank of Fresno, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Antone Joseph, Mary L. Joseph, his wife, F. M. Miller, The Fresno Loan and Savings Bank (a corporation), The Farmers and Merchants Bank (a corporation) and A. A. Van Voorhies & Company (a corporation) defendants, on the 13th day of February, 1896, in the sum of $2180.91, gold coin of the United States, and accruing costs, which said judgment and decree was, on the 14th day of February, A.D. 1896, recorded in decree book volume 8, of said Superior court, on page 353 et seq., I am commanded to sell all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, bounded and particularly described as follows:

The whole of section twenty six (26), in township eighteen (18) south, range eighteen (18) east, M.D.B. & M., containing 640 acres, more or less.

Public notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 21st day of March, 1896, at 12 o'clock meridian of that day, in front of the court house door of said county of Fresno, California, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property at public auction, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs and accruing costs, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, gold coin of the United States.

WILL W. PARSONS,
Commissioner appointed by the court in this action.
Geo. L. Warlow, attorney for plaintiff. f20

NOTICE.

Bids Wanted.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY of Fresno will receive sealed proposals at the office of the city clerk in said city from the date of this notice up to 5 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 5th day of March, 1896, for lighting the streets of said city for a period of one year from the date of contract therefor, according to specifications and terms for lighting on file in the office of the said city clerk.

Proposals must be made for furnishing and erecting complete thirty-three or more electric arc lamps of 2000 candle power each and 100 or more gas or incandescent electric lights of 32 candle power each, all at such places and in such manner as designated by the Board of Trustees and provided in said specifications.

Bidders must state separately the charge for each light complete in operation as aforesaid and burning from dusk until daylight every night, or from dusk until one o'clock a.m. every night except when the moon is shining bright at least one-quarter full and unobscured by clouds, the board reserving the right to accept either bid.

The Board reserves the right to discontinue any or all lights at any time, and also to reject any and all bids, or any part of any bid. Each bid must be accompanied by a check payable to the order of the president of the Board and certified by a responsible bank for at least ten per cent of the amount of the bid, or by a bond for said amount, signed by the bidder and two sureties, who shall qualify under oath in double said amount over and above all statutory exemptions. Said check or bond to be returned to bidder if bid is rejected and any check or bond accompanying any accepted bid shall be retained by the clerk till the successful bidder shall have entered into a contract in accordance with bid, and furnished a bond in the sum of $1000 to the approval of the president of said Board for the faithful performance of said contract.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

f6d [SEAL] J. W. SHANKLIN, City Clerk.

Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior court, county of Fresno, state of California.

J. P. Meux, as executor of the last will and testament of Elizabeth F. Cunningham, deceased, plaintiff, vs. P. E. Baley et al., defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 13th day of February, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 12th day of February, 1896, in favor of said J. P. Meux, as executor of the last will and testament of Elizabeth F. Cunningham, deceased, plaintiff, and against P. E. Baley, defendant, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 8, of the said Superior court, on page 377, for the sum of four thousand twenty and 40-100 dollars in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of said judgment and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1896 at 12:10 o'clock p.m. of that day, in front of the door of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows, situate, lying and being in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, viz:

Lots nine (9), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), and twenty-four (24) in block one hundred and fifteen (115) in the city of Fresno (formerly town), according to the map or plat of said city (formerly town), of Fresno on file and of record in the office of the county recorder of said county of Fresno, state of California, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated Fresno, February 14th, 1896.

O. SCRIBNER, Commissioner.
H. M. Johnston, attorney for plaintiff. f15

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY

TRAINS LEAVE FRESNO AS FOLLOWS:

10.45 P.M.—NEW ORLEANS EXPRESS—Daily. For Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Riverside, and east via El Paso and New Orleans.
2.50 A.M.—EXPRESS—Daily. For Collis, Mendota, Newman, San Francisco, Sacramento, Ogden and East.
2.40 P.M.—YOSEMITE PASSENGER—Daily. For Berenda, Raymond and way stations.
8.20 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily. For Fowler, Selma, Kingsburg, Goshen Junction, connecting at Goshen Junction with mixed train for Hanford, Armona, Tulare, Bakersfield and all way stations.
8.30 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Monday, Wednesday and Friday only. For Porterville and way stations. Porterville to Poso on Wednesday only.
8.45 A.M.—EXPRESS (via Martinez)—Daily. For Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.
9.05 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday. For Lathrop and all way stations.
9.50 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday. For Pollasky and all way stations. Arrives at Fresno returning at 12.40 p.m.
5.30 P.M.—PASSENGER TRAIN—Daily. For Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and way stations.
6.50 P.M.—LOS ANGELES EXPRESS—Daily. For Los Angeles and intermediate points.
5.53 A.M.—SUNSET LIMITED—Thursday and Sunday. Tracy, Port Costa, Oakland, San Francisco.
4.13 A.M.—SUNSET LIMITED—Wednesday and Sunday. For Tulare, Bakersfield, Mojave, Saugus, Los Angeles and east via El Paso and New Orleans.

RICH GRAY, Gen. Traffic Manager.
T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, February 21.—Observations taken at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Barometer	30.07
Temperature	67
Sensible Temperature	54
Humidity, per cent	41
Wind, W (miles per hour)	6
Maximum Temperature for past 24 hours	69
Minimum Temperature for past 24 hours	48
Total Rainfall past 36 hours, inches	.00.00
Total Rainfall for season, inches	4.09

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 21.—Official forecast for thirty-six hours, ending at 5 p.m. February 22.—Northern California—Generally fair, except foggy at night along the coast; fresh northerly winds, except brisk to high northwest along the northern coast.

Southern California—Fair Saturday, except cloudy along the coast Saturday morning; fresh northwesterly winds.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

The above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of parties caught stealing or defacing REPUBLICAN boxes which are placed in front of the residences of colony subscribers.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

No rain yet.

This is Fowler's day.

Ripe tomatoes are in market here.

Fresno county wants better roads.

Collins for wood and coal; 'phone 49.

Sprinkling has greatly benefited the streets.

Asparagus and cauliflower at Howland & Faris'.

Fresh fish and dressed poultry at Blackler's.

Asparagus, tomatoes and green peas at Blackler's.

Bicycle riding taught at Fresno Agricultural Works.

Blue gums and cypress at Fresno Nursery Co.'s yard.

See the '96 March Bicycle at R. G. Barton's, Barton opera house.

Dr. Miner, Garibaldi block. Eye, ear, nose and throat. Glasses fitted.

Fresno county produces as fine orange and lemon trees as any part of any state.

Paddock & Miller have just had their drug store repapered and entirely renovated.

Miners who expected to work placers this winter have about given up hope of getting water.

The military ball at Armory hall on Washington's birthday, February 22d, will be the last and best of the season. Music by Justy's orchestra.

For $2.75 you can get both the WEEKLY REPUBLICAN and the *Interior* (Fresno's illustrated monthly) for one year. Send orders to REPUBLICAN office.

The only orange trees to plant for home or commercial use is the genuine Washington Navel. For sale *only* at the Fancher Creek nursery, J and Fresno streets.

Companies C and F, N.G.C., will parade today in honor of the birthday of the Father of His Country. This will be about the only public celebration of the day in Fresno.

A license was yesterday issued by the county clerk for the marriage of Gideon G. Jeffreys to Miss Bina Scofield, both of whom live near Fresno. The wedding will take place this evening.

The supervisors yesterday transferred $5420.70 from the general to the building fund, and ordered the clerk to transmit $187.50 to the Whittier school as January pay for Fresno's inmates in that institution.

Home-grown Washington Navel orange trees are now in bearing, and by their fruit it is seen at once that they are genuine, and that other nurserymen are falsely advertising in saying they have the *only* genuine trees. W. C. Uridge.

Diaries for 1896.

Complete line at C. H. Riege's.

Electricity for All.

The schedule of prices our solicitors are now presenting is our REGULAR SCHEDULE of rates, and is in no sense of the word a CUT RATE. All patrons who have signed agreements for lighting, and all who sign agreements hereafter, will receive the benefit of any cut that may become necessary to meet the issue.

It is the policy of this company to give the people many times the illumination for the same money that they have been getting in the past. In order to continue our present low rates and to give low rates for power service we must have the liberal patronage of the people.

SAN JOAQUIN ELECTRIC CO.

K. of P. Ball

At Mendota February 28th. Train leaves Fresno at 5 p. m., returning at 6.30 a. m. Justy band.

Do You Know Me?

Get acquainted at the Old Palm Garden.

Get a rig for $1.50 (except Sundays and holidays) for four hours' ride. Telephone 82, Dexter Stables.

Fifteen-year-old Naglee Brandy and Martell's Cognac at the Bodega.

Bartlett, Bethesda, Shasta, Apollinaris, Coronado and Napa Soda Mineral Waters for sale at the Bodega.

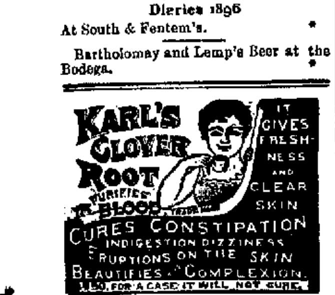
$500 Loan and Savings Bank

Accounts wanted at once.
T. S. PRICE, 1058 J street.

Diaries 1896

At South & Fentem's.

Bartholomay and Lemp's Beer at the Bodega.



An agreeable Laxative and NERVE TONIC. Sold by Druggists or sent by mail. 25c., 50c. and $1.00 per package. Samples free.

KO NO The Favorite TOOTH POWDER for the Teeth and Breath, 25c.

SOLD BY WEBSTER BROS.

FOR BETTER ROADS

State Commissioners Meet the Supervisors.

SUGGESTIONS AND DISCUSSIONS

Statistics and Figures—The "Massachusetts System" Recommended. Needed Laws.

The state road commissioners, J. D. Maude and R. C. Irvine, yesterday met the supervisors and a number of citizens, including nearly all the late grand jurors, and conducted an informal discussion on the subject of public roads. The commissioners were appointed in accordance with an act passed by the last legislature. Their duties are to visit all the counties in the state and collect all available data and statistics regarding the construction of roads, the cost, the materials best suited to different kinds of soils and climates; the defects and advantages of the laws and ordinances now in force, and anything else that bears upon the matter of roads.

The state of affairs at Sacramento which confronted the legislature at the last session was the cause of the appointment of these road commissioners. Chaos reigned, and no one seemed able to frame a law which was satisfactory to the majority of the legislators, or which would meet the requirements of the people in general. There were 102 bills before the legislature for changes and amendments of the road law. It was out of the question to pass all of them, and every man wanted his to go through. In the maze of measures it was considered wise to call a halt and find out what really was needed and the best way to get it. To accomplish this end the road commissioners were appointed. They were instructed to travel over the state, observe the roads and the road laws; get all the information possible and report to the next legislature, where it is hoped their observations and recommendations can be embodied in a general law which will apply equally in all parts of the states, thereby reducing to a system the building and maintaining of the public highways of California, and put a stop to the confusion in the laws and the waste of public moneys which have heretofore been expended with good intentions but with poor results, because the systems were wrong.

Mr. Irvine and Mr. Maude have been in the field several months. They do not go about the state in the cars, but drive in a wagon, up hill and down, in rain and sun, looking critically at all kinds of roads, photographing anything exceptionally good or exceedingly bad. They have thus traveled more than 4000 miles, and have accumulated a fund of observation and experience which will be useful when the time comes to frame a general road law which will aim to embody all that is good and exclude all that is bad. Mr. Irvine is a Sacramento county farmer, and was formerly assessor of that county. Mr. Maude is a civil engineer and lives in Riverside. He represented California in the road convention which met in Atlanta, Ga., during the exposition.

PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS.

Mr. Irvine and Mr. Maude each addressed the meeting. Mr. Irvine stated that he did not come to Fresno to tell the supervisors how to build roads, but to gain information which could be made use of in framing a road law. However, in the course of his talk he gave many statistics and practical suggestions which are well worth preserving. His and Mr. Maude's addresses deserve publishing in full, but lack of space renders it necessary that only the chief points be mentioned.

California highways lie in all climates and altitudes from the dry, perpetual summer 364 feet below the level of the sea to the almost perpetual snow 10,000 feet above. On one rain falls sparingly. On the other the fall of rain is sometimes an inch a day for thirty days at a time. On the one the road makers need not provide against stormwater. On the other, the stormwater is the chief thing to guard against. The same kind of road will not do for both and all conditions of climate and country.

The roads on the plains of Fresno are not washed away, but are blown away. The excessive dryness of the long summer, and the soft soil cause the highways to beat into fine dust which is whipped up by wind and scattered over adjacent fields and orchards.

Mr. Irvine said he had seen many roads in this county which are below the level of the fields on both sides. The roads had been blown away; and they will continue to blow away and become trenches deeper and deeper, unless the proper remedy is applied. That remedy is the liberal use of water for sprinkling. The roads of Fresno's plains need water.

Mr. Irvine quoted figures from counties on or near the coast showing that sprinkling can be done very cheaply, in some places at a cost of only 17½ cents a day per mile. But Supervisor Letcher pointed out that owing to the excessive dryness of this climate it costs very much more than that to sprinkle the roads here. There was no disagreement, however, among those who took part in the discussion on the proposition that sprinkling is the best thing for the Fresno roads, even if it is more expensive than on the cool and damp coast.

WHAT SPRINKLING DOES.

Mr. Maude spoke more at length on the subject of sprinkling roads. He maintained that a road which is kept well sprinkled in summer becomes so packed and hard that it does not grow muddy in winter. He cited as an example Magnolia avenue at Riverside, which is twenty miles long. For twelve miles of this distance it is sprinkled in summer; the other eight miles is not. When winter rains set in, the eight miles become so muddy as to be almost impassable, while the other is solid. The road is the same in every way except that part is sprinkled, and part is not. The summer dust becomes the winter mud. Where there is no summer dust there is not likely to be any winter mud.

Santa Clara is regarded the banner county of the state for good roads. There the sprinkling cart is in constant use. They sprinkle 372 miles of roads, and the number of miles is increasing each year. Water is much scarcer than in Fresno county. There they pump it from deep wells. One well was mentioned which is 300 feet deep, and a 40-horse power engine is used to pump water for sprinkling. Still they find it profitable to sprinkle. Here in Fresno there is abundance of water within a few feet of the surface, or it may be obtained at still less expense from the canals along almost any road.

There was a general discussion, in which John S. Dore, Supervisor Letcher, Mr. Irvine, Mr. Maude and others took part. The conclusion reached was that the best thing for Fresno county's roads is to grade them well, sprinkle them well, and pass a broad tire ordinance. As to the width of tires, there was some difference of opinion. John W. Fairweather, road overseer of Reedley, who has received many compliments for the intelligent manner in which he builds and maintains roads, was inclined to believe that there is danger of getting tires too wide. He thought the proposed ordinance for this county requires wider tires than are necessary. Mr. Irvine had a schedule of tires used in other places, and there was no great difference between them and those proposed for Fresno county, although some are narrower. The objection that "the wider the tire the more rocks it will hit," was answered by Mr. Irvine, who said that if broad tires are used, there will soon be no rocks to hit.

DEAD LOSS.

Mr. Maude is a civil engineer and he prefers to deal in mathematics. He had collected a mass of statistics and estimates showing what it costs at the present time to haul the products of the farms to railroad stations and steamboat landings in the whole United States, and also in the state of California. This is only for hauling by team on the public highways. Opposite these statistics he set estimates of what it would cost to do this same hauling if the roads were in good condition. The figures run into the millions, and it would surprise most people to learn how much dead loss is due to bad roads.

The value of the total farm products of the United States is placed at $2,500,000,000. To haul these products to the depots for shipping cost each year $990,000,000, or 40 per cent of the entire crop. Forty per cent of this $990,000,000 is dead loss. That is, this hauling could be done for $390,000,000 less if the roads were good. If the roads were good, hauling which now costs $990,000,000 could be done for $594,000,000. The difference is dead loss. It does nobody any good. This absolute loss, if saved and put to use would build 39,000 miles of magnificent road each year at a cost of $10,000 per mile.

MASSACHUSETTS SYSTEM.

Mr. Maude outlined what he believed the best system of taxation for road purposes yet devised. It is called the Massachusetts system because it was developed there. It has since been adopted, in more or less modified form, by twelve states. The system does not throw the whole burden of road building and maintaining upon the country people. Cities are taxed for country roads. It is done by a state tax. Cities are benefited by good roads fully as much as is the country. In California about 75 per cent of the assessed value of property is in the incorporated cities and towns.

The law operates about as follows: The state does not build or maintain all the roads, but only the leading ones. It builds and keeps in repair roads which carry the most travel. Counties are then divided into districts something like school districts, and each district maintains its own roads, which serve as feeders for the main highways built by the state. Thus each district can tax itself, or expend on its roads as much as its people desire, just as school houses are now built.

Leaving out of the question any laws to be enacted in the future, the commissioners stated that it is out of the question in a county like this, to keep all the roads in first-class condition. There are nearly 1500 miles of road. Better, they said, keep some in first-class condition, and keep the others passable.

A ROCK CRUSHER.

Figures were given to show that a rock crusher is one of the most desirable plants in the county's road building outfit. Crushed rock should be put on the roads eight feet wide for a single track, or sixteen feet for a double track. Eight hundred cubic yards macadamize a mile.

Supervisor Letcher announced that, if he had his way in the future, he would vote for making one good road a year, whether in his district or in some other, and thus in course of time there would be a number of good roads in the county. He believed it best to build a little permanent road. If the people kick, let them kick. They kick anyhow.

J. L. Gilbert suggested that the general government issue money and lend it to the states, to be by them spent in building electric roads. Mr. Irvine pointed out that this would not help the people who have their products to haul, for they would still be obliged to travel country roads to reach the electric roads.

Court Notes.

The following business was transacted in the several departments of the superior court yesterday:

BEFORE JUDGE WEBB, DEPARTMENT 3.

Fresno Milling Company vs. Fresno Canal and Irrigation Company; trial March 9th.

Peter Pepin vs. Felix Hill; trial March 10th.

Estrella Raisin Vineyard Company vs. A. B. Butler; trial March 16th.

Emigrant Ditch Company vs. A. A. Webber; trial March 17th.

Fred Jones vs. Kings River Lumber Company; trial March 18th.

San Joaquin and Kings River Canal and Irrigation vs. Fresno Flume and Irrigation Company; trial March 23d.

In the insolvency of Wright & Bowler; demurrer overruled and ten days to answer.

California Savings and Loan Society vs. W. J. Zimmerman; dismissed.

H. Dutard vs. James McCarthy; dismissed.

Farmers' Warehouse vs. Henry Pero; struck from the calendar.

Hawley Brothers vs. I. Brownstone & Co.; supplemental proceedings to be heard by court commissioner.

N. Manassee vs. J. V. Rodriques et al.; receiver's report to be heard next Wednesday.

S. N. Mitrovitch vs. Fresno Fruit Packing Company; demurrer to second amended complaint taken under advisement.

Frank Locan vs. Butler & Forsyth; demurrer overruled, ten days to answer.

C. W. Meyer vs. Balfour-Guthrie Company; demurrer overruled, ten days to answer.

In the estate of Orinda F. Gross; petition for distribution taken under advisement.

Trial jury of twenty ordered drawn next Monday.

I. T. Goodman vs. James P. McCarthy; continued till February 29th.

BEFORE JUDGE CARTER, DEPARTMENT 2.

In the insolvency of Rosendahl; final discharge granted.

L. H. Twede vs. John Henderson; receiver allowed $20, costs $55.

H. Wolters, et al. vs. A. Henningsan; motion to dissolve injunction continued till March 2d.

HONORED WASHINGTON.

Exercises by the Pupils of Madison School.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—The pupils of Madison school celebrated Washington's birthday with appropriate exercises yesterday afternoon. A large number of patrons of the school assembled to listen to the exercises. The house was neatly and appropriately decorated with United States flags and evergreens.

A good program of recitations, dialogues and songs was rendered. The pupils executed maneuvers in marching with credit to themselves and their teacher.

Miss Gertrude Walker then recited "The Stigma," the rendering of which is worthy of special mention. The teachers are to be congratulated upon the conduct of the pupils as a whole, and the patrons of the school should feel proud of two such earnest workers as the Misses Weeks and Applegarth.

H. E. L.

Fowler's Celebration.

Fowler has donned a holiday attire. The streets have evergreens, bunting, flags, tents, racing ring, obstacle course, grand stand, fencing, mottoes and the F.I.A. Ladies have a place to feed the people. Fowler is up to date. Many visitors are expected today.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Oleander—Joseph Overton, pastor. Sunday, December 15th—10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. morning service. Subject, "Peter and Cornelius." 7 p.m. Christian Endeavor Society. 7.30 evening service. Tuesday evening, a musical and literary entertainment.

THE CITY TRUSTEES.

GOODFELLOW'S LABORERS PRESENT THEIR NOTICES.

The Charge of Over Officiousness Against Officer Henry Russell is Dismissed.

The city trustees met in adjourned session last night with a full board present.

Petitions to sewer blocks 63 and 124 were granted, as was a petition to grade N street, between Ventura and Monterey.

Thomas J. Duncan petitioned that he be allowed to construct the fire walls of his new brick building on Front street only nine inches in thickness, instead of thirteen inches as required by the ordinances. The petitioner explained that he had already constructed the walls in ignorance of the existence of the ordinance; furthermore that a brick building adjoins the walls on one side and a vacant lot, belonging to the petitioner, on the other. The petition was granted.

The application of William Shaw to construct a one-story brick building with corrugated iron roof on K street, near Fresno, was referred to the fire and water committee.

The committee on police and printing reported that it had investigated the charge of over-officiousness preferred against Police Officer Henry Russell by Al Merrill. The committee found that the officer had acted in a becoming manner and recommended that he be not censured. On motion of Spinney the report was unanimously adopted.

The clerk read a communication from E. H. Brown objecting to the bootblack stands on the public sidewalks. The street superintendent was instructed to investegate.

Two bids were opened for placing a new boiler in the old Silsby fire engine which was ruined at the court house fire. The La France Fire engine Company presented a bid for $1175, and A. L. Fish a bid for $1155. Spinney stated that he considered both bids too high, and on his motion they were referred to the fire and water committee with power to act.

A resolution was passed by the board declaring its sense that the annexation of some of the additions to the city would be highly beneficial to all concerned, and that in the event of annexation the same benefits should be extended to the annexed additions as to other parts of the city, so far as practicable. This resolution was passed in order to make known the feeling of the board in the matter.

Contractor Goodfellow's laborers presented notices to the board regarding their claims on the contractor. There were about 100 of the notices and their claims aggregate in the neighborhood of $3000. They were referred to the finance committee.

The claims will all be examined by this committee and then the proper steps will be taken to have them paid out of Goodfellow's account in the city treasury. It is understood that a number of the claims will be rejected. It appears that men who had contracts for team work, such as hauling gravel, etc., have presented their bills as labor claims. The laborers will get something like 70 cents on the dollar for their claims.

MISSIONARY TEA.

A Pleasant Event at the Residence of Mrs. G. P. Cummings.

The ladies of the Cumberland Presbyterian church gave a missionary tea at the residence of Mrs. G. P. Cummings, corner F and San Joaquin streets, Tuesday afternoon, from 2.30 to 4.30, and in the evening from 7.30 to 10.30. The house was tastefully decorated for the occasion. During the afternoon the house was crowded with visitors, and the committee were kept busy receiving and serving the guests.

Mrs. Cummings was assisted in receiving by Mrs. A. W. Johnson, Mrs. R. M. McCourt, Mrs. M. Sims, Mrs. T. H. Adams and Miss Nevada Osborn.

The evening was devoted to the young people. Miss Florence Kelley gave several recitations which were highly appreciated by those present. Conversation and games took up the greater part of the evening, after which refreshments were served. A neat sum was realized from the free will offerings.

HIGH SCHOOL SENATE.

It Decides That Our Standing Army Should be Increased.

The meeting of the high school senate last night was called to order by President Barnwell. The bid of the REPUBLICAN job office for printing new copies of the constitution and by-laws was accepted, it being the lowest.

After some other business, the debate of the evening was taken up. It was on the following: "*Resolved*, that the standing army of the United States should be increased from 25,000 to 50,000." Senator Peterson opened the argument for the affirmative. He was followed, pro and con, by Senators Calderwood, Lambert, Gray and others.

The resolution was carried by a vote of 14 to 13.

At the next meeting the senate will hold a mock trial.

A Surprise Party.

A surprise party was yesterday given Miss Edna Doolittle at her home on I street. Games were played and refreshments were served. Those present were Edna Doolittle, Emma Lane, Maud Dickson, Glina Cowell, Mirty Hague, Irene Muller, Bertha Hutchens, Ada Spivey, Benhart Newman, Vand Hagne, Harold Newman, John Anton, William Brooks, Ralph Wofford, Henry Biggs, Gay Dunham.

Grand Jury Reunion.

Nearly all members of the late grand jury met in this city yesterday in accordance with an understanding among themselves when they adjourned. They assembled in the room of the supervisors and listened to the addresses on roads by Mr. Irvine and Mr. Maude. They also arranged to present their bills for the latter part of their services as a grand jury. The meeting was an informal one.

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Thinness is often a sign of poor health. Loss of weight generally shows something wrong. If due to a cough, cold, any lung trouble, or if there is an inherited tendency to weak lungs, take care! SCOTT'S EMULSION of Cod-liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, is a fat-food and more. It causes such changes in the system that the gain is permanent and improvement continues even after you cease its use.

50c. and $1.00 at all druggists.

HO! FOR ALASKA.

Frank Dusy Vouches for a Steamer's Seaworthiness.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—It is being reported in Fresno by a local agent of the Alaska Improvement Company that the steamer Albion, which I have chartered to go to Turnigain Arm of Cook's inlet, Alaska, would not be allowed to carry over forty or fifty passengers, and that she is not seaworthy. I was going to risk my own life and the lives of three of my family, and the lives of about 100 of my neighbors and friends, so I naturally felt interested, and wrote Mr. Kimball, the owner of the steamer, to know if there was any truth in the report. Here is his answer, and let it speak for itself:

"Mr. Dusy, Selma, Cal.—Dear Sir: Yours of February 9th at hand and contents noted. I noted particularly what you say regarding the action of the agent of the Alaska Improvement Company in Fresno. I also noticed the unfair way that said agent takes in attempting to secure passengers by running down the steamer Albion, etc. Now as to the Albion being a seaworthy boat, I will say she is one of the best sea boats among the steam schooners going out of this port. Inclosed herewith please find document showing the appreciation of the passengers who went north on the Albion in 1894. I send this to you in order that you might show it to any one who might doubt what you may say regarding that trip.

"Now as to the number of passengers. The steamer Albion will be allowed to carry as many as can be put aboard of her, as long as she complies with the requirements of the United States inspectors and carries a sufficient number of boats, life preservers, etc. In all my experience with her I have always found her to be in first-class shape, and it was only a few weeks ago when one of my larger steamers, in coming down the coast got into rough weather, lost her deck load and took on so much salt water as to put her fire out. The steamer Albion was right behind this vessel, weathered the storm, took a line from the disabled steamer Noyo and towed her for a number of hours until the storm subsided and until the engineer could get up steam again. I think this of itself should be sufficient to assure you that the steamer Albion is in a thoroughly seaworthy condition, as in this storm referred to there was no mishap to the Albion. She not only came through all right herself, but rescued the other steamer. Yours respectfully,

"J. S. KIMBALL,
"22 Market street, San Francisco."

Now I hope that the gentleman referred to will not try to catch any more suckers with that kind of bait.

FRANK DUSY.
Selma, February 15, 1896.

PERSONAL.

J. S. Bretz of Pine Ridge is in town.

Milton McWhorter came up yesterday from Selma.

Richard Roberts came down from Madera last evening.

Abe Yancey, mayor of Toll House, is sojourning in Fresno.

John Fairweather of Reedley was in the county seat last evening.

Editor Willis, of the Selma *Enterprise*, attended the road commissioners' meeting in this city yesterday.

W. M. Hughes and son came down from Madera on last evening's train to spend Washington's birthday in Fresno.

Dr. E. C. Dunn and Judge S. L. Carter last evening went to Hanford to organize a Knights of Pythias lodge.

D J. Crichton of Los Angeles stopped off in this city yesterday on his way to San Francisco, to visit his old-time friend, Justice H. Z. Austin.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:

Emma H Short to George P Allen, e½ of se¼, sec 25, t 13, r 18; $1.

Othello Scribner as commissioner to the California Savings and Loan Society, lots 10 and 15, Fruitvale estate; $1665.

Othello Scribner as commissioner to the California Savings and Loan Society, w½ of sw¼ of sw¼, sec 31, t 16, r 22, and ne¼ of nw¼, sec 15, t 15, r 22, nw¼ of nw¼, sec 15, t 16, r 22; $1621.

Othello Scribner as commissioner to the California Savings and Loan Society, nw¼ of sw¼ of nw¼ of sw¼, sec 31, t 15, r 22; $1403.

J Jay Nestell and wife to the Nestell Vineyard Company, lots 225 to 133, Fruitvale estate; $1.

F H Gardner to Julia A Gardner, se¼ of nw¼, sec 11, t 16, r 22; $10.

J Wilbur Cate to J W Cate, n½ of sec 1 and w½ of sw¼, sec 1, sec 2, and other lands described by metes and bounds, t 13, r 21; $1.

W E Parker to J W Cate, 51 acres of land in se¼, sec 32, t 12, r 21; $10.

Hugh B McCord to Mary A McCord, se¼, sec 14, t 18, r 18; $10.

DIED.

WILLIAMS—In this city, February 20, 1896, Lavinia, daughter of D. H. and Edith Williams, aged 8 years and 8 months.

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Diarrhœa, Cramp, and Pain in the Stomach, Sore Throat, Sudden Colds, Coughs, &c., &c.

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We can bear testimony to the efficacy of the Pain-Killer. We have seen its magic effects in soothing the severest pain, and know it to be a good article.—*Cincinnati Dispatch.*

A speedy cure for pain—no family should be without it.—*Montreal Transcript.*

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It is really a valuable medicine—it is used by many Physicians.—*Boston Traveller.*

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For Sale by Alexander & Goodman

KEENE MONDAY NIGHT.

A Treat in Store for Fresno Theatergoers.

Thomas Keene, the greatest living American tragedian, is coming to the Barton opera house next Monday for a presentation of the classic drama "Hamlet." His "Louis XI," "Richelieu," "Richard III," "Hamlet," "Othello" and "Shylock" have been accepted as equal to those of the great masters who are now dead, and to those of any living actor in this country. It has been declared by some one who has watched the public temper in regard to stage favorites that it is necessary for an actor to die before the world will give him his deserved place among the favorites of the stage. This did indeed seem true in the case of the elder Booth, of McCullough and of Lawrence Barrett, and in a less degree of Forrest and Edwin Booth. The foremost place among living exponents of tragedy, which critics delight to give Mr. Keene, makes it certain that when he no longer enchants in person the American public his memory will be as that of the most splendid of his predecessors. The advance sale is large.

ESPECIALLY IN DRUGS

The Best is Always by Far the Cheapest.

That old but trite saying that "the best is the cheapest" is true when applied to any line of business. But its importance and force are felt more in the line of drugs and chemicals than in respect to any other commodity.

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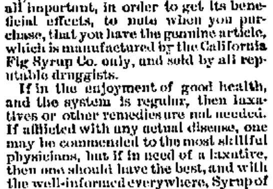

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Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior Court, county of Fresno, state of California.

The California Savings and Loan Society (a corporation), plaintiff, vs. L. W. Stonce, Charles N. Hamilton, J. T. Lowry and Sigmund Wormser et al., defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 13th day of February, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 4th day of February, 1896, in favor of said The California Savings and Loan Society (a corporation), plaintiff, and against L. W. Stonce, Charles M. Hamilton, J. T. Lowry and Sigmund Wormser, defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 8, of the said Superior court, on page 373, for the sum of twenty-seven hundred twenty-two and 10-100 dollars in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1896, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the door of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows: Situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, viz.:

The east half of the northeast quarter (E½ of NE¼) of section fifteen (15), in township sixteen (16) south, of range twenty-two (22) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, February 14th, 1896.
O. SCRIBNER, Commissioner.
J. F. Cowdery, attorney for plaintiff. f15

Order to Show Cause.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state California.

In the matter of the insolvency of Charles Goodfellow.

UPON READING AND FILING THE PETITION of Emanuel M. Augustine, Thomas Easterbrook, E. F. Showalter, Samuel C. Helm, O. F. Vorce, F. K. Vorce and William S. Abernethy, properly verified and accompanied by the bond required by law, and upon motion of Frank Short and Edgar S. Van Meter, attorneys for petitioners in the above entitled matter, it is hereby ordered that the said Charles Goodfellow show cause at the courtroom, at department No. 3, of this court, in the county of Fresno, state of California, at 10 o'clock a.m. of Monday, the 27th day of January, 1896, why he should not be adjudged and declared an insolvent debtor, pursuant to the provisions of the Insolvent Act of 1895, of the state of California.

And good cause therefore appearing by the verified petition on file herein, it is further ordered that all persons be, and they are hereby forbidden to make payment of any debts or delivery of any property belonging to the said Charles Goodfellow, to him for his use, and the said Charles Goodfellow is forbidden to transfer any of his property otherwise than as by law and this court may be directed.

It is further ordered by the court, that no creditor whose debts are proveable under said act, be allowed to prosecute to final judgment, any action therefore against said debtor, until the question of his discharge shall have been determined, or until further order of this court.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be served upon the said Charles Goodfellow personally, in the same manner provided for the service of summons in civil actions of this state, and that such service be made at least five days before the time in this order fixed for the hearing herein.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1896.
J. R. WEBB,
Judge of the Superior Court.

It is hereby ordered that the hearing of the petition filed herein be continued to Saturday the 4th day of April, 1896, at 10 o'clock a.m. of that day, and that this order of continuance be published together with the original order requiring said defendant to show cause why he should not be adjudged an insolvent under the Insolvent Act of 1895.

Dated this the 27th day of January, 1896.
J. R. WEBB,
Judge of the Superior court.

Frank H. Short and Edgar S. Van Meter, attorneys for petitioners. j28td2

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California. Probate, Department No. 1.

In the matter of the estate of Stephen A. Main, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executor of the estate of Stephen A. Main, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at the law office of Walter D. Tupper, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Fresno.

Fresno, Cal., February 1st, 1896.
JOSEPH MIDAUGH MAIN,
Executor of the estate of Stephen A. Main, deceased.
Walter D. Tupper, attorney for executor.
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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Charles M. Peterson, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executrix of the last will and testament of Charles M. Peterson, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Anna Sophia Peterson, at the office of her attorney Geo. L. Warlow, at rooms 16 and 17, Temple Bar building, in the city of Fresno, California, the same being her place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the city and county of Fresno, state of California.

ANNA SOPHIA PETERSON,
Executrix of the last will and testament of Charles M. Peterson, deceased.
Dated at Fresno, Cal., February 11th, 1896.

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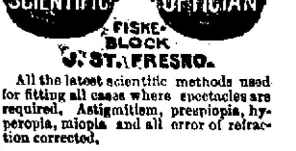

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Administratrix's Sale of Real Estate.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of M. W. Colquhoun, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IN PURsuance of an order of the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, made on the 21st day of September, 1895, in the matter of the estate of M. W. Colquhoun, deceased, the undersigned, the administratrix of the estate of the above named deceased, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States of America, and subject to confirmation by said Superior court, on Monday the 9th day of March, 1896, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the court house door in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said M. W. Colquhoun, in and to that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25 in block 35 of the Belmont addition to the city of Fresno, as per map thereof on file and of record in the office of the county recorder of the county of Fresno, state of California; and lots 23 and 24 in block 147 of the town, now city, of Fresno, as per map of said town, now city, on file and of record in the office of the county recorder of said Fresno county.

Terms and conditions of sale—Cash, gold coin of the United States, ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid on the day of the sale, balance on confirmation of the sale by said Superior court. Deed at expense of purchaser.

ANNA E. COLQUHOUN,
Administratrix of the estate of M. W. Colquhoun, deceased.
Dated Fresno, February 13th, 1896. f14

Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior court, county of Fresno, state of California.

The California Savings and Loan Society (a corporation), plaintiff, vs. Samuel Davis, Mariam Rose Davis (formerly wife of Samuel Davis), Solomon Davis, J. E. Lancaster, Bank of Kingsburg (a corporation), Frank Cavagnaro, Bank of Visalia (a corporation), and C. M. Shannon, as assignee of the estate of F. B. Garner, an insolvent debtor, et al., defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 13th day of February, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 10th day of February, 1896, in favor of said The California Savings and Loan Society (a corporation), plaintiff, and against Samuel Davis, Mariam Rose Davis (formerly wife of Samuel Davis), Solomon Davis, J. E. Lancaster, Bank of Kingsburg (a corporation), Frank Cavagnaro, Bank of Visalia (a corporation), and C. M. Shannon, as assignee of the estate of F. B. Garner, an insolvent debtor, et al., defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 5, of the said Superior court, on page 309 for the sum of fifteen hundred forty-three and 15-100 dollars in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1896, at 12.03 p. m. of that day, in front of the door of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows, situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, viz.:

The south half of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter (S½ of NW¼ of SW¼) of section thirty-one (31), in township fifteen (15) south, of range twenty-three (23) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, February 14th, 1896.

O. SCRIBNER, Commissioner.
J. F. Cowdery, attorney for plaintiff. f15

Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

WHEREAS, GEORGE B. OTIS AND HIS wife Elizabeth R. Otis, made a certain deed of trust to Ed. R. Hamilton and Wm. P. Coleman, dated March 15th, 1891, and recorded July 24th, 1894, in book 139 of deeds, at page 430 and following, records of Fresno county, state of California; also recorded in book 50 of deeds at page 264 and following, records of Kern county, state of California, on the 20th day of September, 1894, said deed of trust conveying the real property hereinafter described for the purpose of securing the payment of three certain promissory notes made by George B. Otis and Elizabeth R. Otis, and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said notes together with the interest thereon.

Now, therefore, by the authority vested in them by said deed of trust, and upon application of the owner and holder of said notes, the undersigned as such trustees will on February 29th, 1896, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock a.m., in front of the court house door, in the city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in United States gold coin, all the certain real property situate in the county of Fresno, state of California, and in the county of Kern, state of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

The north half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-five (25), in township fifteen (15) south, range twenty-one (21) east; also the north half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-four (34) in township fifteen (15) south, range twenty-two (22) east; also fractional northeast quarter of the northwest quarter and fractional northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and south half of the northeast quarter of section one (1) in township sixteen (16) south, range twenty-one (21) east; also the northeast quarter of section eight (8) and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section nine (9) in township sixteen (16) south, range twenty-two (22) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian all in Fresno county, state of California; also the south half of the south half of the southwest quarter; the south half of the south half of the southeast quarter; the south fifty-three and one-third (53⅓) acres of the north half of the southeast quarter, and two 87-100 (2 87-100) acres in the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter, all in section four (4), township twenty-eight (28) south, range twenty-six (26) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, in Kern county, state of California; together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging on all the above described land, also all water rights and water ditches, water courses and privileges now in any way appertaining to, used, or connected with said lands, excepting therefrom five (5) acres in Fresno county, reconveyed January 7th, 1895, being the west half of southeast quarter of southeast quarter of northeast quarter, section one, township 16 south, range 21 east.

ED. R. HAMILTON, Trustee,
W. P. COLEMAN, Trustee.
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Notice of Street Work.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno, on the 17th day of February, 1896, adopted a resolution (No. 138) of its intention to order the following work to be done, to-wit:

That a 6-inch sewer be constructed from a manhole on Mono street, opposite the alley in block 138 through the center of the alley in block 138 to a point within 10 feet of the south line of said block 138 with a 4-inch on 6-inch Y for each 25 feet frontage on said block, on said alley, the 4-inch branch to be capped with an earthen cap; a six-inch inspection hole to be constructed at the upper end of the sewer equipped with a cast-iron cover, as provided or in the specifications.

For further particulars of said work reference is hereby made to said resolution on file.

Fresno, Cal., February 18th, 1896.

M. RILEY,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Fresno.
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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$333,353 59
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures	68,240 00
Real Estate	54,390 09
Due from Banks	14,967 08
Cash in Vault	54,674 85
Total Resources	$525,625 41

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$200,000 00
Undivided Profits	29,134 43
Individual Deposits	286,693 77
Bank Deposits	9,797 21
Total Liabilities	$525,625 41

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Capital Stock	$500,000
Paid Up	210,000

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FRESNO LODGE No. 186, I. O. O. F., meets Monday evening at 7.30 in Masonic Temple. All Odd Fellows are cordially invited to attend.

T. J. KELLY, N. G.
R. M. BISHOP, Secretary.

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T. H. WARRINGTON, Secretary.

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MRS. ELIZA F. GRIMES Secy.

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O. P. TULLER, K. R. S. } Box 901.
O. P. KJELDSEN, M. F.

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MISS MADGE YANCEY, Secretary.

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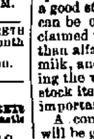

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That a 6-inch sewer be constructed from a manhole on Mono street, opposite the alley in block 75 through the center of the alley in block 75 to a point within 150 feet of the north line of said block 75 with a 4-inch on 6-inch Y for each 25 feet frontage on said block, on said alley, the 4-inch branch to be capped with an earthen cap; the last joint but one of the sewer to be a 4-inch on 6-inch Y, and the 4-inch branch to extend to the side of the alley, and then with a quarter curve and four-inch pipe brought to the surface of the ground and extended sixteen feet above the surface, with a galvanized iron pipe four and one-half inches in diameter and capped with a bonnet cover, and securely fastened to a 4x4-inch redwood post 18 feet long, set firmly in the ground 4 feet.

For further particulars of said work reference is hereby made to said resolution on file.

Fresno, Cal., February 18th, 1896.

M. RILEY,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Fresno.
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SANITARY MEASURES.

BOARD OF HEALTH AND THE K STREET SCHOOL.

Diphtheria and the Steps Taken to Prevent Its Further Spread.

At the request of the school trustees the members of the city board of health, with Health Officer Hayden and Trustees Eden and Cummings, visited the K street school grounds yesterday morning, and made an inspection of the closets and surrounding premises. The closets are built over open vaults, have been in use several years and are naturally not altogether odorless. The board recommended that all the wood work be immediately washed with a strong solution of carbolic acid, and the vaults thoroughly fumigated with chlorine gas. This it was believed would obviate the necessity for their destruction before new modern-style closets can be constructed and connected with the recently laid sewer.

While several cases of diphtheria have occurred in the vicinity of the school, some of which may have been engendered by the unsanitary condition of either the school or neighboring closet vaults, these cases have been isolated, and it was believed that with the proper cleansing of any possible germ-producing places and the quarantining of infected houses there could be no reason for closing the school or for any scholars remaining away. Occasional cases of diphtheria have occurred in Fresno for several years, but there has never been an epidemic here, nor is one at all probable now.

Health Officer Hayden is making personal examination of reported cases and investigating every possible source of their development. The isolation of cases and proper attention to sanitary matters ought to soon eradicate the disease from the community. At all events there seems to be no occasion for a diphtheria scare or for the suspension of the schools or the impairment of their efficiency.

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From the Kern County Echo.

The experimental garden just north of town has become one of the features of interest in this locality, and its usefulness has been abundantly demonstrated. Heretofore it has been devoted to the propagation of a very wide variety of more or less useful plants and while a large per cent of the things grown have shown themselves to be of no value, some others have proven to be of substantial commercial worth.

It was in this garden that atriplex, better known as Australian salt bush, was thoroughly tested and its worth as a forage plant established. This information bids fair to be worth a very great deal to Kern county, for it is no longer doubted that for certain soils and under certain conditions nothing heretofore grown equals atriplex as a forage plant. It has proven its adaptability to alkali soils as well as in some of our unirrigated lands. It remains to be shown what it would do in the foothills where some new plant is badly needed. From the fact that atriplex has a deep tap root and spreads out close to the ground, thus shading it and preventing evaporation, it is believed that it will prove successful in such localities.

Though some other valuable discoveries have been made at the experimental gardens, the work has not been completed. The work hereafter, however, will be devoted to fewer kinds of vegetable growth. This will be especially true this year when nearly the whole field will be devoted to grasses. The superintendent, A. K. Leckenby, has given much study to this subject, and this year he will make a large number of tests. He hopes to propagate as many as 3000 grasses. Then the comparatively few which seem to possess some value will be grown on a larger scale that they may be more thoroughly tested. Among those being propagated are lawn grasses as well as forage plants.

No small amount of interest will be felt by home owners in these experiments with lawn grasses. The great national favorite, blue grass, is not entirely suited to this place. Though very beautiful and strong on new land it can hardly hold its own with the seeds that blow in and come with the irrigating. Mr. Leckenby thinks he has a variety which will make as handsome a lawn as blue grass and will be able to hold its own against all comers. It is, he says, the grass which, growing wild, has given the name of "Emerald Isle" to Ireland. But this is but one of the many lawn grasses he is trying; he may find something even more desirable.

Among forage plants, Mr. Leckenby has great faith in modiola. This plant would easily be taken for that obnoxious weed generally known as "malvy" as it very much resembles it in color and shape of leaf. But it has been proven to be a desirable forage plant. It has a deep tap root like alfalfa but bears much more seed. When thin on the ground it will take root at each joint thus spreading rapidly. But where there is a good stand it readily grows erect and can be cut for hay like alfalfa. It is claimed that it is better for dairy stock than alfalfa, being less apt to taint the milk, and it also makes better feed during the winter months. For fattening stock its great crops of seed would be important.

A considerable amount of this grass will be grown this year and seed in commercial quantities will be saved.

CAUGHT A THIEF.

J. F. Hall's Experience With a Midnight Marauder.

J. F. Hall, the retired undertaker, was awakened about 12 o'clock last night by noise in his chicken house. Rushing from bed in his night clothes to the back yard, he arrived just in time to see a man with a goodly bunch of chickens in each hand running away.

Hall took after the fugitive and after a chase of several blocks captured him. He took the fellow to police headquarters where the thief gave his name as William Mason. He said that he has been around Fresno for several months past. He was locked up.

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CARLISLE'S ACTION.

A Bill Introduced Calling for Investigation.

WASHINGTON, February 21.—Representative Colson, Republican of Kentucky, today introduced a house resolution to investigate the action of Secretary Carlisle in refusing to accept the bid of William Graves for $4,500,000 bonds at $115.3391.

Populists in Convention.

PHOENIX, February 21.—The territorial convention of the Populists met this afternoon and completed a temporary organization. About 100 delegates were present from all parts of the territory. Few bore credentials, but all were seated.

Pabst's Little Pops

At Wolters & Co's., 1047 I st. *

Khabarofka, Siberia.

Khabarofka is a wretched looking little place, about a quarter the size of Vladivostok, although it is the capital of eastern Siberia and the residence of the governor general. It lies about 49 degrees latitude north, or 6 degrees north of Vladivostok. In the public garden is a bluff commanding a birdseye view of the river, beach and steamers. Here is a monument, in bronze, to Governor General Adjutant General Nikolaf Nikolaievitch Muravief, who took part in two exploring expeditions—1854, 1855—and gained the title "Amurski" for his services in the acquisition of this Amur region to Russia. The chief street in Khabarofka is called, after him, Muravief-Amurski. On the statue's pedestal are engraved the names of himself, his wife, about 26 military officers and seven scientific men, who "shared in the toils and dangers of his expeditions." Near the statue is a band stand, where a military band plays on Sunday evenings, and a little temple of the Blessed Virgin, the Bogoroditza, with painted pictures inside the walls. Further on is a pretty little wood, left for shade. Behind is the governor's house, a fine brick building, with sentries pacing before it. Past the wood a steep path leads to the bathing place, where one has the choice of wading in from the stony beach or diving from a regular bathing house at the end of a dilapidated wooden pier.—Fortnightly Review.

"E Pluribus Unum" on Our Coins.

According to the United States mint officials, the words, "E Pluribus Unum," as they appear on our coins, are there without the sanction of law. The legend first appeared upon a copper coin "struck" at the Newburg (N. Y.) mint in the year 1786. The United States was very young at that time and could not afford the luxury of a mint, so a private individual of the name of Brasher opened the Newburg coining establishment with the intention of turning out money of the realm for all comers. Exactly how the words "E Pluribus Unum" came to be used as a motto is not known, but one thing is certain, the Brasher copper coin bearing that legend and the date of 1786 is the most valuable metal disk ever minted on this continent, being worth about $2,000, or twice as much as the famous rare dollar of 1804.

Some time after coining his famous copper with the odd Latin motto as above described Brasher tried his hand on a large sized goldpiece, producing the coin known to the numismatists as "Brasher's twenty." The Brasher "twenty" was not a $20 goldpiece, however, for it lacked $4 of weighing enough, but of late years it has become very scarce and valuable because of the fact that the legend inscribed upon it reads "Unum E Pluribus" instead of "E Pluribus Unum." This coin is now valued at $1,500.—St. Louis Republic.

Dominie and Domine.

Differences that seem very slight in foreign or provincial words may be very real, and it is important to know and to note them. An eminent New York scholar calls attention, in this line, to an erroneous use of the word "dominie" for "domine" by a recent contributor to The Sunday School Times. He says:

"The terms 'dominie' and 'domine' both are plainly derived from the Latin, but do not mean the same thing. The former is a Scottish usage for schoolmaster only, and is universally known because of 'Dominie Sampson' in one of the Waverley novels. The latter is a Hollandish, respectful designation for a minister of the gospel only. It is used very generally in the Dutch churches in this country, but always in a reverent and, indeed, affectionate sense. It appears to me that the two terms should not be confounded, but invariably confined to that application which is required by their historic origin."

This distinction is not generally known, although the dictionaries point it out.—Sunday School Times.

The Cursed Tower of the Rhone.

The cursed tower is an architectural curiosity. It is almost as far out from the perpendicular as is the tower at Pisa and is far more impressive, because it stands upon an isolated crag which drops below it sheer to the river in a vast precipice. Anciently, before it went wrong and its curse came upon it, the tower was the keep of the Benedictine nunnery of Soyons. Most ungallantly, in the year 1560, the Huguenots captured the abbey by assault, and thereupon the abbess, Louise d'Amanze (poor frightened soul!) hurriedly embraced the reformed religion, in dread lest, without this concession to the rather decided opinions of the conquerors, still worse might come. Several of her nuns followed her hastily heterodox example, but the mass of them stood stoutly by their faith and ended by making off with it intact to Valence.—Thomas A. Janvier in Century.

Opposed to Dangerous Innovations.

The other day a proposal was made at a parish meeting for the lighting of the village of Godshill, Isle of Wight, with eight lamps, which, it seemed, could be maintained at the modest cost of a halfpenny rate once every three years. Up rose a farmer named Hollis to oppose the revolutionary scheme. To the mind of this worthy man its authors were "wanting to turn night into day." "It would set a bad example to the young," he continued, "keeping them out all hours of the night. What they ought to do was to set a good example by going to bed early and getting up early, and he would like to hear the curfew rung again."—London Truth.

Marshall pass, on the Denver and Rio Grande railroad, is the highest point yet attained by a railroad in the United States. Elevation, 10,855 feet.

In 1880 there were 174,659 hands employed in the cotton mills in the United States. In 1890 the number had risen to 221,585.

Useless Question.

"Dis ting's got to go t'rough," said one of the aldermen at the committee meeting. "Dere's money in it."

"Fur de city?" asked a member of the council.

And the only reply he got was the glassy stare.—Chicago Tribune.

PERSONAL.

A. L. Hobbs returned from San Francisco last night.

John G. Roberts and J. W. Watkins of Madera are in town.

Charles W. DeLong of Santa Cruz is in Fresno looking after his interests here.

Major O. Chisholm is in Bakersfield on business connected with military matters.

S. V. DuBois of the Sun Insurance Office returned to the bay city this morning.

Mrs. M. M. Meyer, wife of the musician, arrived on last night's train from San Francisco.

D. S. Snodgrass, John C. Moore and K. W. Brown were among the Selmaites in the county seat yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dickie of Bay City, Michigan, are visiting in this city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Smith.

SOUSA'S GREAT BAND.

It Delights a Fashionable Audience at the Barton.

Sousa, "the King of Marches," and his great band are not strangers to the people of this city, who have learned to look to that director for music of the highest order. His performance at the Barton last night was stronger than any of his former entertainments here. He has added talent and improved skill.

The program was made up of selections from the best works of Wagner, Liszt, Pryor, Sousa, Luckstone, Kunkel and Sarasate. The audience was large and contained nearly all the best judges of music to be found in Fresno.

How About the Central School?

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—I would say to parents: Do you know where your children get their drinking water while in attendance at the Central school? If you are not positive upon that point, I would suggest that you visit the premises and see for yourselves. The city health officer has given some good advice concerning the K street school, but if it is as bad as the Central the entire premises should be blotted from the face of the earth. If you care anything for common decency—say nothing about sanitation—look this matter up.

A CITIZEN.

Reunion of Illinoisans.

The Illinoisans, of whom there are a large number in Fresno and vicinity, are arranging for a reunion in this city in the near future. A committee meeting will be held at 5 o'clock this afternoon at the office of Ab Hall on I street to perfect the arrangements. It is desired to have as many people from Illinois present at the meeting as possible.

Entertainments Tonight.

The ball which will be given by Company C at Armory hall tonight promises to be one of the notable social events of the season. A very large attendance is looked for.

This evening the New England Society will hold its annual dinner at the Grand Central hotel.

Gas the Cheapest.

By using the new Welsback gas lamp over the old-style 3-foot tip with gas at $2 per 1000 feet it virtually brings the price of gas to $1 per 1000 feet, as they consume about one-half the gas and give four times the light the old tip does. Five Welsback lamps will give as much light in a store as twenty 16-candle power electric lamps. At Portland, Oregon, and Sacramento, Cal., where both electric plants are being run by water power, gas is being sold at $2.35 at Portland and $2.50 at Sacramento, and is competing successfully with electricity. Retain your Welsback lamps and have a strong bright light for the least money. Whenever electricity gets as cheap as gas, at $2 per 1000 feet, then some means will be adopted to furnish gas cheaper.

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Hard-time prices in shoes this week at the great sacrifice shoe sale. Tickets for souvenir silverware given with every purchase. Philadelphia Shoe Store, 1937 Mariposa street, next to court house park. *

Old Crow Whisky at the Bodega. *

Cause and Effect.

The reason of so many well-dressed ladies and misses appearing on the streets of Fresno is because of the chance they have to clothe themselves at merely nominal figures in the very best tailor-made clothing ever brought to this town by the popular place, Brendel's Auction House, 1932 Mariposa street. Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods of all kinds. The best goods for the least money is our motto. Brendel's Auction House, 1932 Mariposa street, Fresno. *

At the New Palm Garden.

"Robin Hood," America's finest whisky; imported Bushmill's Irish whisky, imported Ramsey's Scotch whisky, imported Black Swan Holland gin, imported Burke's Guiness porter, hot Frankfurters and all kinds of sandwiches. Leading illustrated papers on file. Fine Napa wines and Wieland's Extra Pale. *

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These wafers are for painful, scanty, profuse or irregular menses, and ladies will find that no better remedy exists for these difficulties. To avoid being imposed upon by base imitations, buy from our agents and take French Tansy Wafers only. Price by mail, $2. Buker & Colson, Central Drug Store, 1908 Mariposa street, Fresno, Cal., sole agents. *

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[Signed] MR. EDWARD W. FRENCH,
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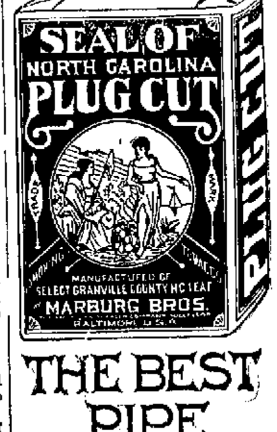

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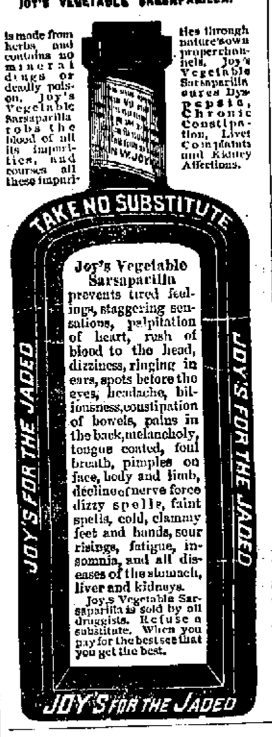

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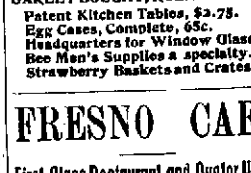

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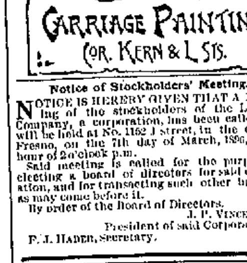

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MEETing of the stockholders of the Lyceum Company, a corporation, has been called and will be held at No. 1152 J street, in the city of Fresno, on the 7th day of March, 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m.

Said meeting is called for the purpose of electing a board of directors for said corporation, and for transacting such other business as may come before it.

By order of the Board of Directors.

J. P. VINCENT,
President of said Corporation.
F. J. HADER, Secretary. f20td

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Assessment Notice.

Briggs Canal Co., location of principal place of business, Fresno, Fresno county, California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Briggs Canal Co., held on January 11th, 1896, an assessment of $5 per share was levied upon the outstanding capital stock of this corporation payable immediately in United States gold coin to the secretary of the corporation above named, at the residence of the secretary or at the Fresno National bank, Cal.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 3d day of March, 1896, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on the 4th day of April, 1896, at 2 p.m., to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

E. E. HUTCHINSON, Secretary.
Residence 2 miles NW of Fowler. j17oaw

Summons.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno state of California.

M. Theodore Kearney, plaintiff vs. Horatio H. Whitten, et als., defendants.

Action brought in the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the clerk of said county.

The people of the state of California send greeting to Horatio H. Whitten and Cecelia Frances Whitten, his wife, Helen O. Bloodgood, Laura Virginia Luce and John M. Luce, her husband, John Doe, Richard Roe and Richard Green, defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED TO APPEAR in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons if served within this county, or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain judgment of this court for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage described in said complaint and executed by the said defendants Cecelia Frances Whitten and Horatio H. Whitten, on the 9th day of January, 1892, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note dated January 9th, 1892, made, executed and delivered by defendant Cecelia Frances Whitten to plaintiff in the sum of $2500 with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 9th day of January, 1893, ten per cent of the amount found due for attorneys' fees, provided in said mortgage, and costs of suit, that the premises conveyed by said mortgage may be sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of said principal, interest, attorneys' fees and costs, and in case such proceeds are insufficient to pay the same, that judgment be docketed against said defendant, Cecelia Frances Whitten, for the balance remaining due, and also that the said defendants and all persons claiming by, through or under them, may be barred and foreclosed of all right, title, claim, lien, equity of redemption and interest in and to said mortgaged premises, and for other and further relief, as will more fully appear by reference to the complaint on file herein.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, this 24th day of August, A.D. 1895.

[SEAL.] T. G. HART, Clerk.
By C. E. WOOD, Deputy Clerk.

F. H. Short and Chickering, Thomas & Gregory and Gerstle & Sloss, attorneys for plaintiff. d12

Trustees' Sale.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS AND under the authority of a certain deed of trust duly executed by R. B. JOHNSON, party of the first part, to HENRY C. CAMPBELL and THADDEUS B. KENT, Trustees, parties of the second part, and the SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, party of the third part, dated July 8th, 1890, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder, of the County of Fresno, State of California, in Liber 116 of Deeds, at pages 125 and following; and in pursuance of a resolution passed on the 28d day of January, 1896, by the Board of Directors, of said SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, a corporation, and the holder of the note (No. 10,212), to secure payment of which the aforesaid deed of trust was executed, declaring that default had been made in the payment of the principal sum and other sums, due under said note and deed of trust, and requesting and directing said HENRY C. CAMPBELL and THADDEUS B. KENT, Trustees, to sell the real estate described therein to satisfy said indebtedness,

We, HENRY C. CAMPBELL and THADDEUS B. KENT, Trustees, do hereby give notice, that on TUESDAY, the 25th day of February, A.D. 1896, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, and at the auction salesroom of EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., No. 638 Market street, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, we will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in gold coin of the United States, all those pieces or parcels of land situate in the County of Fresno, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

According to the official plats and system of surveys of the Government of the United States.

In township twelve (12) south, range twenty-two (22) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Of section thirty-one (31): the southeast quarter (SE¼), and the east half of the northeast quarter (E½ of NE¼).

Of section thirty-two (32): the west half of the northwest quarter (W½ of NW¼); the north half of the southwest quarter (N½ of SW¼) and the west half of the southeast quarter (W½ of SE¼).

Containing in all, four hundred and eighty (480) acres of land, more or less.

Together with the appurtenances.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash in gold coin of the United States; ten per cent payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer, balance on delivery of deed; and if not so paid, unless for want of title (ten days being allowed for search), then said ten per cent to be forfeited, and the sale to be void. Acts of sale at purchaser's expense.

HENRY C. CAMPBELL, } Trustees.
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Stockholders' Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Kings River and Fresno Canal Company will be held at the office of the company, room 10, Temple Bar building, Fresno city, California, on Tuesday, March 3rd, 1896, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the election of a Board of Trustees to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated Fresno, February 15th, 1896.

f16td W. H. INGALS, Secretary.

Trustees' Sale of Real Estate.

WHEREAS, ANTHONY A. WHITTEN, AND his wife, Nettie E. Whitten, made a certain deed of trust to Ed R. Hamilton and Wm. P. Coleman, dated November 10th, 1894, and recorded on the 15th day of January, 1895, in book one hundred and thirty-nine (139) of deeds, at page four hundred and fifty-four and following, records of Fresno county, state of California, said deed of trust conveying the real property hereinafter described, for the purpose of securing the payment of a certain promissory note made by the said Anthony A. Whitten and Nettie E. Whitten, and whereas, default has been made in the payment of the interest on said note.

Now, therefore, by the authority vested in them by said deed of trust, and upon application of the owner and holder of said note, the undersigned, as such trustees, will, on the 29th day of February, 1896, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock a.m., in front of the court house door in the city of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in United States gold coin, all the certain real property situate in the county of Fresno, state of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

The fractional northwest quarter of section nineteen (19), and the east half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-nine (29) all in township sixteen (16) south, range twenty-two (22) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging; also all water ditches, water rights, contracts and privileges that are now connected with, used, or appertain to said land.

ED R. HAMILTON, Trustee.
W. P. COLEMAN Trustee.
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Summons on Foreclosure of Mortgage.

In the superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

Nora Schroder, plaintiff vs. J. W. Egan, Mrs. J. W. Egan (his wife) and A. M. Clark, defendants.

Action brought in the superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the clerk of said Fresno county.

The people of the state of California send greeting to J. W. Egan, Mrs. J. W. Egan (his wife) and A. M. Clark, defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED TO APPEAR in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the superior court of the said county of Fresno, state of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within this, Fresno county; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain judgment of this court for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage described in the said complaint, and executed by the said J. W. Egan, on the 1st day of March, 1891, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note, dated March 1st, 1891, for the principal sum of three hundred and fifty dollars ($350.00) together with interest thereon at the rate of 10-12 of one per cent per month from date until paid, interest to be paid annually or else compounded. That all of said principal and interest is due and unpaid: said note was made payable one year after date, on to-wit, the 1st day of March, 1895, and is also to foreclose all right, title and claim of the other defendants, Mrs. J. W. Egan and A. M. Clark, in or to said premises so mortgaged as aforesaid; also to recover the sum of one hundred dollars as an attorney's fee for foreclosing said mortgage and for general relief that the premises conveyed by said mortgage may be sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of said promissory note and interest thereon. That the said premises mortgaged as aforesaid are described as follows, viz: Lots one (1) and two (2) in block numbered ten (10), of the Altamont addition to the city of Fresno, according to the official map of said addition on file and of recorded in the office of the county recorder of said Fresno county, California, and in case such proceeds are insufficient to pay the same, that judgment be docketed against said J. W. Egan for the balance remaining due, and also that the said defendants, and all persons claiming by, through or under them may be barred and foreclosed of all right, title, claim, lien, equity of redemption, and interest in and to said mortgaged premises, and for other and further relief, as will more fully appear by reference to the complaint on file herein.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Witness my hand and the seal of the superior court of the said county of Fresno, state of California, this 26th day of November, A.D. 1895.

[SEAL] T. G. HART, Clerk.
By W. R. WILLIAMS, Deputy Clerk.
Dante R. Prince, attorney for plaintiff. d28

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